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NO ABATEMENT IN ALLIED OFFENSIVE

SEVERAL TOWNS ARE CAPTURED IN BIG ADVANCE

Chavigny, Cuffies and Crouy Taken By the French Troops

ENGLISH IN COMBLES

Bullecourt, Hendecourt and Bailleul Also Fall Into Hands of the British

YANKS BEAT OFF HUN ATTACKS

Considerable Increase in Artillery Activity Against Americans in Vosges Region

(By the Associated Press.)

With the British Army in France, August 30, 4 p. m. — It is reported that Bailleul, on the northern side of the Lys salient, has been evacuated by the Germans and that the British are either entering the town or may soon occupy it.

Longatte and Ecoust-St. Mein, southwest of Bullecourt, are reported to have been captured today by the British.

All the country south and west of the river Somme is now free of the enemy.

British Advance in Lys Sector.

There has been no abatement in the strength of the offensive the British, French and American troops are throwing against the German armies from Arras to the region of Soissons. And as yet there is no indication that it is the purpose of the seemingly demoralized enemy to turn about and face their aggressors or to offer more resistance for the present than through the activities of strong rear guards.

Not alone have the Allied troops all over the battle front from Arras to Soissons gained further important terraine, but to the north the British have advanced their line materially in the famous Lys sector—and apparently without much effort on the part of the foe to restrain them.

Of greater significance than any of the other victories achieved in Friday's fighting is the gain of the French, with whom Americans are brigaded, in the general sector north of Soissons. The latest French official communication records the capture by the French here of Chavigny, two miles northwest, and Cuffies, a mile and a half north of Soissons, and the entry into the outskirts of Crouy, a short distance to the northeast.

French Cross Ailette River.

These victories, gained only after the hardest kind of fighting, make more secure the Allied line running northward and outflanking the Aisne and the Chemin-des-Dames region. Also bettering this general situation has been the crossing by the French of the Ailette river at Champs.

In the region north of Noyon, the French have made further progress, crossing the Canal DuNord at several places and advancing materially in the direction of the Noyon-Ham railroal line. All around Noyon, the French have strengthened their positions. All the territory on the north and west banks of the Somme where the British have been operating against the Germans now has been cleared of the enemy and south of Peronne, on the east bank of the stream, notwithstanding the destruction of the bridges by the Germans.

To the north, the British almost everywhere are pressing eastward along the highways, carrying the Germans before them, nothwithstanding the desperate resistance that is everywhere being offered by machine gunners innumerable and infantry units. Combles is now in British hands and east of Bapaume Field Marshal Haig's men are working along the Bapaume-Cambrai road toward Lebucquiere. To the north of this village, Bullecourt and Hendecourt, on the old Hindenburg line, buoth were captured, but the Germans in a violent counter attack, forced back the British to their western outskirts, where at last accounts, occupying an old trench system, the Germans were being held.

Germans Begin Withdrawal.

Northeast of Arras, the British now are only a step way from the famous Drocourt-Queant switch line, one of the strongest of the enemy's fortified positions, which is said to be be filled with forces who intend to tenaciously dispute its capture.

Southwest of Ypres, in the Lys salient, the Germans again hase begun withdrawing and are being closely followed up by the British. The British again are holding the important town of Bailleul in this sector. The withdrawal of the Germans seemingly indicates that it is their purpose to blot out this salient and strengthen the line southward from Ypres. It is a move, however, that is greatly lessening the chance of a drive during the present year toward the channel ports from this region.

There has ben a considerable increase in the enemy's artillery activity against the American troops in the Vosges region. Several patrol attacks by the Germans have been stopped by the Americans.

With the French Army in France, night, August 30.—The French and Americans, under orders of General Mangin, advanced today on the plateau north of Soissons to the western edge of Crouy, taking Cuffies and Chavigny, after very hard fighting.

Further north, between the Ailette and the road from Coucy to Chauny, the struggle was equally severe. The French occupied the town of Champs, the Daast wood, Praast and Vilette.

General Mangin now has gained a strong foothold on the northern bank of the Ailette and the plateau north of Soissons, occupying positions of great interest with a view of future operations.

YANKEE TROOPS HEAVILY SHELL HUN POSITIONS

Thousands of Rounds of High Explosive Shells Fall on Germans

ENEMY SOON WEAKENS

Our Boys Make But Little Effort to Advance Their Line

ORDERS WERE TO HARASS HUNS

Captured Austrian Reports That Morale of That Army Is Very Bad

With the American Army in France, August 30, 8 p. m.—While the French troops on the right and left of the Americans on the front north of Soissons struggled forward today, the Americans sent thousands of rounds of high-explosive shells and shrapnel into the German positions. They made little effort to advance their line.

Late this afternoon some progress was made by the Americans in the region of Juvigny. Although the day was not marked by any spectacular advance, there was far from a lull in the activities on the American front.

Since the Americans appeared on Wednesday, the Germans have displayed stubborness and skill. They have good positions and are defending them in a manner which should suggest that they might even attempt a serious counter atack. The positions of the Americans are perhaps not so good, and the contest seems to have narrowed down to one of comparative merit of officers and men of the two organizations.

Huns Show Signs of Weakening.

Before the day was over, the Germans had begun to show signs of weakening and observers reported troop movements which appear to indicate re-grouping and perhaps retirement.

The orders to the Americans were to maintain a harassing fire throughout the day and even the minor attacks of one flank was decided upon only after the advance made by the French indicated its advisability.

Over the fields the American forces remained in the positions they had held last night. Dug in behind almost every little rise in the plateau and the hillside, they waited the order to attack.

The artillery went into action early in the morning, not in barrage, but firing first at one point in the German line and then at another, in accordance with reports indicating places where the Germans were mobilizing or where there might be danger of concentration. Rarely, if ever, have the American troops delivered over such a period of so continuous a fire. It was a pushing character that must have wrought terrible destruction and probably much demoralization.

German Snipers Busy.

The lines are close together, and the shells from the howitzers were mixed with those of a lighter character.

It was a day of sniping for the Germans, especially the machine gunners. Their fire did not rise in most cases 10 inches above the ground. One gunner has the trick of holding the trigger until just three shots are fired. All day long his gun gave its "tat tat tat," every burst being followed by a slight change in direction.

A large part of those caught in the ground-sweeping fire were wounded in the legs below the knees.

The Germans in front of the Americans at times were subjected not only to the fire of the American gunners but to a supplemented raking by the French. It has been impossible to ascertain the German casualties, but it is certain that they were heavy.

The big gun fire reached the maximum of its intensity. The roar of the artillery rose in a great crescendo. The Americans used no gas shells. The Germans did, but in slightly smaller quantities than usual.

American Patrols Active.

With the American Army on the Vesle Front, August 30. — American patrols are active each night keeping contact with the enemy along the Vesle. The American officers continue to believe that the Germans will soon be compelled to withdraw at least as far as the Aisne, owing to the constant pressure on the French and British front. The Americans are determined to be stepping upon the heels of the Germans when they begin their retreat, which, officers say, "is coming sooner or later."

APPROVES BUYING OF BARGES.

Washington, D. C., August 30. — Purchase by the railroad administration of nine barges, two tow boats and warehouse facilities at East St. Louis belonging to the Kansas City River Navigation company and operation of the barges and boats on the Lower Mississippi was approved today by Director General McAdoo.

Officially Give Up Cyclops As Lost

Washington, D. C., August 30.—The name of the missing collier Cyclops has been formally stricken from the navy register, Secretary Daniels said today, and orders have been issued for the payment by the treasury of all claims growing out of the loss of the ship.

Secretary Daniels and other naval officials are certain that the fate of the 10,000 ton collier always will be a mystery.

Bound for South America with a cargo of manganese ore to be used in the manufacture of war munitions, the collier touched at Barbadoes on March 4, leaving that port. She was never heard of again.

Various theories have been raised to explain the disappearance of the Cyclops, but it has gradually come to be accepted that the vessel met with a violent hurricane and turned turtle and sank, carrying with her 57 passengers, 16 officers and 221 members of her crew.

LARGE PLANT SEEKS GOVERNMENT CONTROL

Smith & Wesson Co., Objecting to Labor Board's Decision, Requests Federal Operation

Washington, D. C., August 30.—The Smith and Wesson company of Springfield, Mass., informed the war department today that rather than to abide by a recent decision of the war labor board it would prefer to have its plant taken over by the government and operated for the period of the war.

The decision objected to provided for the restoration with back pay of employes discharged for violating a rule regulating union membership and approved collective bargaining between employes and the company.

In a letter to Secretary Baker, the company said it had not submitted its rights to the war labor board, did not admit that the board had conducted the brief investigation which proceeded its decision in accordance with President Wilson's labor proclamation, and saw no reason why it should abandon its legitimate methods of doing business.

The company employs 1,400 persons and is engaged on many government contracts, including the making of a quarter of a million army revolvers. It offers, if the government will take over the plant, to have the individuals of the present management co-operate with any officer placed in charge.

In addition to its notice to Secretary Baker, the Smith & Wesson company also protested formally to the War Labor board upon the decision and expressed a refusal to abide by it. In its letter addressed to the War Secretary, the company asserted that its business history had been "singularly free from labor troubles," and that its board of trustees saw no reason "why it should abandon methods of doing business proved to be conducive of industrial peace and high efficiency for the fantastic method outlined by the War Labor board in its recommendation for dealing with employes." These recommendations, it concluded, in addressing the board, "would tend to lessen, if not destroy, the morale of the workers; would promote argument and dissension, would impair the general efficiency of workers, thereby reducing the production so badly needed by our country.

"This company has been singularly free from strikes or labor troubles of any kind for upwards of 14 years and indeed until the recent activity of labor union leaders outside the plant to unionize it."

The letter to Secretary Baker said in part: "It is generally recognized by employers in this part of the country that since the promulgation of the War Labor board's principle, labor leaders look upon that declaration as a license to agitate and to organize the employes of any or every plant engaged in war work, irrespective of the known conditions under which any given plant may have been operated, and irrespective of the legal rights of employers."

"SAVE GAS EVERY DAY."

New York, August 30. — A. C. Bedford, chairman of the National Petroleum War Service committee, urged the public in a statement tonight not only to save gasoline on Sunday, but to curtail, as much as possible, pleasure riding week days.

Asserting that "it is not the day upon which the saving is done, but it is the saving itself which is important," he declared that only united action in carrying out the spirit of the fuel administration's request would make it possible to permit the resumption of pleasure riding at an early date.

U-BOAT FIRES ON TUG.

An Atlantic Port, August 30.—The crew of the tug Triton, which reached her today, reported having been fired upon by an enemy submarine off Boone Island during the day. It was very foggy at the time. The tug changed its course and raced for safety.

The submarine fred only one shot and soon submerged. At that moment, an American steamer appeared on the scene. Both vessels were well sheltered from sight by the fog as they made haste to reach the nearest harbor.

BRITISH ARMIES AGAINSMASHWAY FORWARD ON LINE

Heavy Fighting Almost Everywhere Between Somme and Scarpe

HUN LOSSES TERRIBLE

Germans Forced to Abandon Many Town Positions and Large Strips of Ground

PRUSSIANS COUNTER ATTACK

Tribute Paid to Wonderful Work of the Tommies' Artillery in Action

(By the Associated Press.)

With the British Army in France, August 30 4 p. m.—The fighting British armies again smashed their way forward today all along the line. There has been heavy fighting almost everywhere between the Somme and Scarpe rivers and the force of repeated blows, dilvered with machine-gun-like percision, has forced the foe to abandon many more town positions and large strips of ground.

Once more the Germans have suffered terrible losses. The British have freed all the country south and west of the Somme, the last Germans being driven behind the river this morning. Even there the enemy is not finding rest, for the British have crossed the stream at least at one place south of LaChapellette.

Fierce Cannonading Keeps on.

From Peronne southward, first the British cannon and then the French guns are hurling projectiles, big and little, on the other side of the river. Just north of the Somme, after it turns to the west at Peronne, the British have captured Clery and are pressing on toward Peronne.

The Germans have been trying ever since the fall of Bapaume to hold the line running along the road between that town and Peronne. British patrols, however, actually have reached LeTransloy, directly on the road, and it is reported that LeTransloy has fallen and that a fierce battle within is raging almost along the whole length of the road.

Hard fighting is going on around Beaulencourt; which is astride the road between LeTransloy and Bapaume. The Germans hold the major portion of this village for the moment, but they seem destined to be thrown out of it. A bitter struggle also is in progress at Morval, southwest of LeTransloy. Other towns in the immediate neighborhood fell this morning or during last night.

Heavy Fighting Around Bapaume.

From this locality, the line of battle swings wide around Bapaume, and there has been more heavy fighting here. Bancourt, east of Bapaume, fell after being stormed.

Astride the road to Cambrai from Peronne, the British crashed into the Germans and smothered their resistance, some times at the point of the bayonet. Fremicourt seems to have been taken and the British have driven on eastward. North of here, Vaulx-Vraucourt, which contained a large enemy garrison that offered the strongest resistance with machine guns, apparently has fallen in its entirety.

Ecoust-St. Mein and Longatette in its suburbs again are reported to have been captured by the British.

Here the Germans delivered a powerful counter attack and the British withdrew in face of it. The artillery was turned into the trap the Germans had made for themselves, and after it had finished the British moved back again and mopped up what remained of the Germans.

Bullecourt in British Hands.

Bullecourt is well in the British hands, as apparently also is Hendecourt. Riencourt and Cagnicourt seem to be in the possession of Field Marshal Haig's men. Heavy fighting is reported in this locality, as here the British have reached a point of only a few hundred yards from the Drocourt-Queant switch line, which apparently is garrisoned with every man the German high command has been able to lay hands on.

They are being harassed by heavy fire from the British cannon, which throughout this zone of the battle, are thundering away as fast as their gunners can force them.

From here northward across the Arrass-Cambrai road and along the river Scarpe, the British are pushing forward, gaining more ground, straightening their line and drawing generally closer to the Drocourt-Queant defences of the enemy.

In the north there apparently is lively activity at several places. The British are reported to have made considerable advances. A report has just been received that Bailleul, southwest of Ypres, is being shelled by the enemy. If this is correct, it indicates that the Germans have withdrawn altogether from that important town, and that the British either are entering Bailleul or will do so later.

It is time something was said of the wonderful work in the Scarpe-Somme battle of the British artillery which made possible the victories gained. The Germans themselves testify to the terrible efficiency of the British cannon, which in many cases stood virtually wheel to wheel while pouring death and destruction into the enemy, knocking the will to fight out of him and blasting a path for the infantry.

The prisoners all mention the terrific barrages they have withstood and comment bitterly upon the thinness of their own counter barrages, because the Germans' heavies are always being dragged rearward to save them from capture. The German artillery apparently had little faith in the ability of the infantry to hold off the British attacks today.

London, England, August 30.—The operations of the British air forces are steadily increasing in intensity and daring, according to an official announcement.

During the course of the past week, 17 raids were made into German territory and nine cities were bombed, of which Mannheim provided the striking example of the success achieved by the audacious British aviators. The German defence tactics were temporarily demoralized and paralyzed by the unprecedented attacks from bombing machines flying at the house top level, to which is attributed the safe return of all the machines from the raid.

15 I. W. W.'S GIVEN 20-YEAR SENTENCES

HAYWOODANDHIS AIDES ALSO MUST PAY LARGE FINES

Judge Landis Metes Out Justice to Condemned For Conspiracy

TWO CASES CONTINUED

Ninety Days Is Granted in Which to File a Bill of Exception

FREE SPEECH ILLEGAL IN WAR

This Right Is Waived After a Country Enters War, Judge Declares

Chicago, Ill., August 30. — William D. Haywood, "uncrowned king" of the Industrial Workers of the World, and 14 of his chief aides in the conspiracy to overturn the American war program, were sentenced to 20 years in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth Kansas, by Federal Judge K. M. Landis, here late today.

Ten-year sentences were imposed upon 33 of the organization's leaders, five-year sentences on 23, one year and one day on 12 defendants, and 10 day sentences on two others.

Cases against Benjamin S. Schraeger, Chicago writer, and Pietro Nigra, Spring Valley, Ill., were continued.

All sentences on the four counts in the indictment will run concurrently. Fines ranging from $20,000 on Haywood and his chief aides down to $5,000 were imposed.

Ninety days is granted in which to file a bill of exception and a stay of seven days in which to petition for bail.

Before pronouncing sentence on the defendants, Judge Landis reviewed at some length the salient points in the government's case, laying special stress on the I. W. W. preamble in declaring eternal war on the employing class and denouncing war with other nations and the meeting of the executive board after America had entered the war at which it was decided to expel members entering military service.

"In times of peace, you have a legal right to oppose, by free speech, preparations of war. But when war has been declared that right ceases forthwith," was the court's closing remark.

Aside from a slight disturbance in the corridor when one of the prisoners became hysterical while being led away, there was no disorder.

Manuel Rey, an organizer of Buffalo, who appeared in court yesterday wearing a red flag, symbol of the I. W. W. on his coat lapel, had not removed it when called for sentence today. He was among those given 20 years.

10,000 LONDON POLICE ARE OUT ON BIG STRIKE

Strikers Decide to Send Deputation to Government in Order to Submit Case

London, England, August 30.—The press bureau, in a statement issued at midnight, says the striking Metropolitan police have been told that if they return to work the government will give full and sympathetic consideration to their representation.

The police of the London metropolitan district embrace an area of 700 square miles and a population of 8,000,000.

The strength of London's police force is about 22,000. According to the union leaders, 10,000 of these were "out" at noon today.

One union leader stated today that the present pay of London policemen is 38 shillings weekly, plus 12 shillings war bonus and the possible addition of two shillings weekly after 21 years' service.

Tonight virtually all the city of London police joined the strike.

At the Tower Hill meeting this evening, it was decided to send a deputation to the home office at noon tomorrow to meet Premier Lloyd George or any other member of the government in order to submit the case of the strikers to him.

LOWER RATES ON GRAIN.

Washington, D. C., August 30. — Temporary reduction of two cents per hundred pounds in rates on grain handled through the lakes from Lake Michigan ports from Buffalo to eastern seaboard cities was ordered today by the railroad administration, effective between September 1 and October 10.

The purpose, it is explained, is to hasten the movement of grains from the Middle Western states passing through Lake Michigan ports before the movement of grain from the northwest starts through Lake Superior ports.

CONGRESS AGAIN FAILS TO FINISH DRAFT BILL

Predicted That Measure Will Be in President's Hands Soon After Noon Today

Washington, D. C., August 30. — Congress failed again today to complete the man power bill, extending the selective draft limits to 18 and 45 years of age. Only the formality of the signing of the measure by the presiding officers of the senate and house remain and it was predicted tonight that the measure will be in President Wilson's hands soon after the noon convening hour. Its immediate approval by the executive is expected.

The conference report on the bill as approved yesterday by the house was adopted late today by the senate by a yea and nay vote, with but a feeble opposition of a few senators present. Senate debate on the "work or fight" amendment was so protracted that the house adjourned before the bill could be returned there for the signature of the speaker. The rules require that signatures of the presiding officers be attached to the engrossed measure while the houses are in session.

Senate debate today centered on the elimination of the "work or fight" amendment by the conferees. Senator Thomas of Colorado, author of the amendment, and Senator McCumber of North Dakota, vehemently protested against the striking out of the provision which has been fought by organized labor. Chairman Chamberlain of the senate conference committee defended the action of the committee in yielding to house opposition and declared that the present law and regulation could, if enforced, meet the ends designed by the Thomas amendment. Alleged failure of the war department to enforce the law against union strikers was due to executive administration and not to lack of fiat from congress, Senator Chamberlain said.

ESCAPES FROM PRISON CAMP

Lieut. Thomas Hitchcock jr., But 18 Years of Age, Makes Remarkable Record in Air Service.

New York, August 30. — Lieut. Thomas Hitchcock jr., son of Major Hitchcock, commander of the training department at the Mineola aviation field, who has just escaped to Berne from a German prison camp, was captured on March 6, after a combat with three enemy planes. He fell behind the German lines after he had been wounded in the side.

Before the United States entered the war, Lieut. Hitchcock, was widely known as a horseman and a polo player, a student at St. Paul's school in Concord, N. H. Last year he tried to enlist in the American flying forces, but although he passed the 100-hour endurance tests in the air, he was rejected because of his youth. He is now 18 years old.

Going to France in June, 1917, he underwent further training and was assigned to the famous Lafayette escadrille with several other Americans. He was not, however, transferred to the United States forces when he was captured. Last February he brought down two German flyers and received the Croix de Guerre, with two palms, and the prize money awarded by the Lafayette squadron.

HAIG'S MEN CAPTURE A COMPLETE BATTERY

In Taking of Combles, British Make 260 Germans Their Prisoners

(Reuters' Agency.)

British Headquarters in France, August 30. — In the capture of Combles the British took a battery complete, in addition to some 260 prisoners, and at Maurepas one 15 centimeter howitzer and four field guns fell into their hands, according to information received here. A German staff memorandum which has just been captured, says:

"The enemy is a past master at cloaking his intentions."

Another document which has fallen into possession of the British says:

The troops opposite are Australians, a powerful type of men, exceedingly clever, versatile and very enterprising. A characteristic is that the enemy takes few prisoners but bayonets and shoots every body. The enemy also understands exceedingly well how to plan, prepare and carry out large patrol operations. The hostile infantry shows great dash by daylight.

The same document comments on the fact that "the enemy airmen are absolutely masters of the air here, and are far more numerous than ours."

Notes in the captured staff memorandum tell of the refusal of the fifth company of the 22nd infantry regiment to relieve the fourth company because they had done their tour of trench duty. The battalion commander, after threatening to send them forward under escort, appealed to their sense of duty to the fatherland. The notes say that several men were heard to exclaim, "To Hell with the Fatherland."

SENATE FAILS TO PASS PROHIBITION MEASURE

Opposition to Various Appropriations Attacked As Wasteful Causes Delay

Washington, D. C., August 30.—Opposition to various appropriations attacked as wasteful and unnecessary together with protracted debates on the conference to the man power bill resulted in the failure of the senate today to pass the emergency agricultural appropriation bill with its amendment providing for national prohibition after June 30, 1919. Prohibition leaders plan for a final vote tomorrow.

Discussion of minor appropriations in the $11,000,000 measure occupied most of the senate's time, senators contending that much of the money could be devoted to better purposes in the prosecution of the war. An amendment authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to set aside $2,500,000 for the purchase of seed wheat to be sold to farmers was adopted.

The bill, with the prohibition amendment, according to the plans of the senate leaders, is to be passed finally by a viva voce vote without placing senators on record as to the prohibition proposition. Upon passage by the senate the measure will go to conference.

BAR ASSOCIATION ELECTS.

Cleveland, Ohio, August 30.—George P. Page of Peoria, Illinois, was elected president of the American Bar association at the final business meeting of the annual convention. Secretary George White of Baltimore and treasurer, Frederick E. Wadhams of Albany, N. Y., were re-elected. Next year's convention city will be selected at the mid-winter meeting.

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BASEBALL RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

CINCINNATI BUNCHES HITS.

As a Result, Chicago Is Shut Out by Score of 5 to 0.

Chicago, Ill., August 30. — Cincinnati bunched hits behind Chicago's erratic fielding and shut out the locals, 5 to 0. Mitchell kept Chicago's hits well scattered and was given perfect support.

		P.	H	E
Cincinnati	0 0 0 0 2 3 0 0 1 —	5	11	0
Chicago	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 —	0	4	4

Batteries — Mitchell and Wingo, Walker and O'Farrell.

PHILLIES AND BRAVES DIVIDE.

Philadelphia Carries Off First Game 1-0, and Boston Second, 8-3.

Philadelphia, Pa., August 30. — Philadelphia and Boston split a double header here today. The Phillies won the first game, 1 to 0, in the ninth inning on Meusel's double and Cravath's single, after two were out. Fortune was hit hard in the second game and Boston won, 8 to 3.

First game—

Boston	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 —	0	7	1
Philadelphia	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 —	1	7	0

Batteries — Rudolph and Wagner; Oeschger and Adams.

Second game—

Boston	0 0 0 0 1 1 3 2 1 —	8	12	0
Philadelphia	0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 —	3	11	4

Batteries — Ragan and Wagner; Fortune, Jacobs and Devine, Adams.

FIFTY-SEVEN MINUTE GAME.

Takes But Short Time for New York to Shut Out Brooklyn 1 to 0.

New York, August 30. — In one of the shortest games of the season, which took 57 minutes to play, the New York Giants defeated the Superbas 1 to 0 at the Polo grounds here today.

Brooklyn	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 —	0	2	3
New York	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 —	1	7	1

Batteries — Coombs and Miller; Perritt and McCarty.

St. Louis-Pittsburgh, wet grounds.

Destruction Wrought by Rats.

Destructive rats in Britain are estimated to have destroyed food valued at about two hundred million dollars, or about five dollars' worth of food per head of the population.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

CARL MAYS "IRON MAN."

Pitches and Wins Two Games for Boston, 12 to 0, and 4 to 1.

Boston, Mass., August 30. — Carl Mays qualified for the iron man class today by pitching and winning two full games of a double header against Philadelphia. The first game was a Boston runaway by a score of 12 to 0 and the second a pitchers' battle, in which Mays was even better than in the opener, and won over Perry and Johnson, 4 to 1. Score:

First game.		R	H	E
Philadelphia	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 —	0	9	8
Boston	2 3 3 0 0 2 2 0 x —	12	11	1

Batteries — Jamieson, Johnson and McAvoy, Mays and Schang.

Second game.

Philadelphia	0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 —	1	4	1
Boston	0 0 3 0 1 0 0 0 x —	4	5	2

Batteries—Perry, Johnson and Perkins, Mays and Schang.

INDIANS TAKE DOUBLE HEADER.

Cleveland Captures Two Games From Detroit, 2 to 1 and 4 to 2.

Detroit, Mich., August 30.—Cleveland won both games of a double header with Detroit today, taking the first, 2 to 1 and the second, 4 to 2.

First game.

Cleveland	0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 —	2	7	1
Detroit	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 —	1	4	4

Batteries — Coveleskie and O'Neill; Cunningham and Spencer.

Second game.

Cleveland	0 0 0 2 0 0 1 1 0 —	4	6	1
Detroit	0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 —	2	7	3

Batteries — Bagby and O'Neill; C. Jones and Yelle

JOHNSON HOLDS YANKS SAFE.

Washington Runs Away With Game, 6 to 1, Batting Finneran Hard.

Washington, D. C., August 30. — Johnson held New York safe at all stages of today's game and Washington won, 6 to 1, by batting Finneran hard.

New York	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 —	1	5	2
Washington	3 0 2 1 0 0 0 0 x —	6	12	1

Batteries — Finneran and Hannah, Johnson and Ainsmith.

Only teams scheduled

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

The New York Markets.

New York, August 30.—Anticipating the approaching holiday and having in mind yesterday's unexpected reproof in regard to excess speculations from the chairman of the local money pool, today's stock market lapsed into its recent dullness, dealings being concentrated in less than half a score of issues.

A few leaders, notably United States Steel and Canadian Pacific, both selling ex-dividends, registered early declines of one to one and one-half points, but these were largely regained in the gradual recovery of the final hour.

Rates on Allied countries rose systematically. Additional July statements of railroad earnings submitted by the interstate commence commission showed material net gains, especially New York Central and Chicago and North Western.

Liberty bonds, including 3½s, were reactionary, but most foreign issues were slightly higher. Old United States bonds were unchanged on call, except for a five-eighths reaction in the 4s.

ONEONTA MARKET.

Grain and Feed at Retail.

(Corrected by Morris Brothers.)

Salt, 140 lb. sack	$1 25
Corn, kiln dried	$2.06
Corn meal, cwt.	$3 73
Corn meal, table use	$6.00
Oats	87
Dairy feed (special) cwt.	$3.18
Scratch feed for fowls, ct.	$3.90
Hominy	$3.35
Gluten, cwt.	$3 20

Prices Paid Producers.

Butter, creamery	47@48
Butter, fresh dairy	46@47
Eggs, fresh laid, dozen	48
Veal, sweet milk veals	18@20
Dressed pork	22
Dressed beef	15
Fowls, lb.	28
Spring chicken	30
Early fall apples, bushel	75@1.00
New Potatoes, bushel	$1 25@1.40
Green corn, 100 ears	$1.50

Hides.

(Quoted by Miller Hide company.)

No. 1 cow hides	15½
No. 2 cow hides	14½
No. 1 bull hides, over 60 lb	12
No. 2 bull hides, ver 60 lb	11
No. 3 hides, 1-3 less.	
No. 1 horse hides	$5.00@5 50
No. 2 horse hides, half price.	
Headless horse heads, 50 cents less.	
Veal skins	$2.75@5.00

No. 2s, 15 cents to 20 cents each less. Dairy skins $2.00 to $2.50. No. 3s, grassers, culls and slunks at value.

PURCHASE FLOUR MODERATELY.

New York, August 30 —Though restriction on the quantity of flour which may be purchased will be removed after September 1, all consumers were urged by the federal food board to purchase in moderation and to practice strict economy in a statement issued here.

A Bit Mixed.

Even nature occasionally gets things jumbled. A Jersey City magistrate recently found it necessary to send a woman to jail for highway robbery, and a man to the detention house as a common scold.

INVESTIGATE BAYONNE DEATHS

To Ascertain Cause of Four Deaths in One Family, In Connection With Massachusetts Investigation.

Lawrence, Mass., August 30. — The authorities at Bayonne, N. J., have been asked by District Attorney Henry G. Wells, of this city it has been learned, to ascertain the cause of the death of four members of the Wilkins family in Bayonne, in connection with his own investigation of the death of Miss Florence M. Gay of Andover. Miss Gay was a teacher at Abbott academy for girls.

Since her death some weeks ago, her body has been exhumed and a report on the examination of the stomach by a Harvard university expert has been submitted to the district attorney. The result of the examination was not made public, but the district attorney said that his investigation was proceeding

It is expected that Mrs. Bessie May Skeets of Bayonne, who nursed Miss Gay in her last illness, will be arraigned tomorrow on the charge of larceny of jewelry from the dead woman' estate.

Mrs. Skeets was formerly Mrs Wilkins of Bayonne. According to the district attorney, her fathers death occurred there two years ago and since that time her mother, sister-in-law and brother, Albera Wilkins, have died, the latter two months ago.

Big Saving of Meat.

"The soldiers at Fort Harrison are going to do some feeding," said T. M. Conron, Chicago meat packer, who was at the Hotel Severin recently, according to the Indianapolis News.

Conron had in his pocket a contract to send to the fort 175,000 pounds of meat. The contract also called for 8,000 pounds of butter and 6 000 pounds of best oleomargarine. Conron says that meat packers are encouraging the public to set aside a meatless day. He estimates that the average family will require two pounds of meat a day. "Figure it up," he said, "and you will find that the American public will save in the neighborhood of 10,000,000 pounds of meat every time they observe a meatless day."

Didn't Love Her Enough.

"No, Herbert," she said in a low tone, "it is impossible. I fear to trust my future with you."

"And why?"

"I have watched your conduct very closely. It lacks the mark of such devotion as my soul craves."

"Do I not come to see you four nights in the week?"

"Yes, but I have detected a calculating selfishness in your nature which I fear."

"What do you mean?"

"You have never yet failed to leave in time to catch the last bus."

"But that is only common sense."

"I know it is, Herbert, and, therefore, it is not love."

Cat on City Pay Roll.

Tim, authorized municipal cat on the pay roll of the city of Newton, Mass., probably is the only cat in the country with such a distinction. His salary is $29.20 a year, and no public official ever fulfills his office duties more efficiently. His title on the books is "official rat and mouse catcher." A special appropriation of eight cents a day is made for his services.

FUNSTON AS STRIKE BREAKER

Used Rifle as Persuader to Induce Indian Packers to Proceed on Journey.

In 1893 Frederick Funston set out for Alaska on a commission to collect botanical specimens. Today the trail over Chilkoot pass is familiar, but at that time it was known only to Indian guides and a few daring miners who had followed its devious ways. Funston with two companions went up the pass and over to the Yukon, says the Youth's Companion. One incident of the trip he describes in his own picturesque language as follows:

"The Indians carried the loads while we dragged the empty sleds. The snow fell incessantly for five days, and it lay along our route from 5 to 50 feet deep. Day after day we wallowed and struggled on as we worked our way gradually upward to the summit of the range. One cheerful little diversion occurred on the second day. The low browed chief packer who seemed to have charge of the other Indians threw his load into the snow and announced that unless their pay was materially increased he and the other packers would get themselves back to the village, and thus leave us in a pretty pickle.

"My temper had been at white heat all day, and without thinking what might be the consequence of such a move, I shoved the muzzle of a cocked rifle into the face of the advisory committee of that strike, and the way the Most Serene Grand Master of the Amalgamated Order of Chilkoot Salmon Biters reshouldered his sack of beans and tugged along through the broad expanse of the beautiful snow shows that it is sometimes a good thing for every well-regulated family to have a gun in the house."

DEEPEST LAKE IN COUNTRY

Large Body of Fresh Water in Oregon Depth of Which Cannot Be Measured.

Portland, Ore.—A lake known as the "Great Sunken lake" is reported to be the deepest lake in this country, and perhaps in the whole world. Located in a valley of the Cascade mountains, about seventy miles north of Jacksonville, Ore., this lake, which is almost fifteen miles long and four miles wide, is so deep that its depth cannot be measured. It is situated so far below the crest of the mountains that winds cannot reach it, and its surface is like a sheet of glass. It is sometimes called the "Lake of Mystery."

"Mother of Presidents."

Virginia has sometimes been called mother of presidents because she has furnished so many as compared with other states. Since the foundation of the government eight of our presidents have been natives of Virginia and no other state has furnished more than five. Of twenty-seven presidents eight were born in Virginia, six in Ohio, two in New York, two in North Carolina, two in Massachusetts and one each in New Hampshire, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, Vermont and New Jersey.

NIAGARA GETS POWER STATION

Work Is Necessary to Meet Electrical Demand.

300 FOOT HEAD IN CHANNEL

Immediate Production of 300,000 Electrical Horse Power Is Planned—Canal to Be Built to Allow Future Flow of Water Capable of Trebling Present Production—New Power Available Only for War Work.

One of the greatest water development projects of the many centering about Niagara Falls has been launched on the Canadian side of the river. It contemplates an immediate production of 300,000 electrical horse power, or equal to approximately one-half the present total development on both sides of the river, and it may expand to 1,000,000 horse power.

Actual work on the new channel was begun recently by the Ontario hydro-commission. There were no ceremonies and the launching of the work was virtually unknown to the general public. The channel will encircle the city of Niagara Falls, Ont., one running from the Welland river, a tributary of the Niagara above the cataract, to the escarpment below Queenston heights. The power house will be located on the river level almost at the foot of Brock's monument.

300,000 Horse Power Planned.

The channel is the first one planned to get the full benefit of the difference in level between Lakes Erie and Ontario, approximately 300 feet. The old companies, with penstocks located close to the foot of the cataract, get a head of about 200 feet. The additional 100 feet head, it is estimated, will make it possible to develop the 300,000 horse power with the same flow of water required to develop 100,000 horse power at the falls.

While the units under construction for the power house are planned to produce only 300,000 horse power the canal itself will be built to allow a future flow of water capable of trebling this volume.

The Ontario hydro-commission is a provincial body, appointed by the Ontario government. It distributes power to Ontario municipalities within a radius of 200 miles of the falls at low cost. A large part of the current generated on the Canadian side, formerly exported and distributed by an American corporation, has been cut off. Canadian power for Canadian industries has been the motto of Sir Adam Beck, chairman of the commission, and war conditions have brought a speedier application of the policy than had been expected.

Treaty Limits Water Diversion.

To replace the Canadian current thus lost, a steam generating plant has been built here with an ultimate capacity of 140,000 horse power. Steam plants and water power plants far down the state have been drawn upon to keep Buffalo factories going. Part of the current from the new hydro plant will be available for American industries, but only those engaged in war work, Sir Adam has announced.

Under the treaty between Canada, Great Britain and the United States the diversion of water on the Canadian side is limited to 36,000 cubic feet a second. The limit on the American side is 20,000 feet.

Canada already has authorized the diversion of all but 6,000 cubic feet of her allotment. Under special war permits the American companies are also within a few hundred feet of their limit.

The new channel will carry off about 10,000 cubic feet of water a second. This will necessitate some readjustment of the allowances to the other Canadian companies unless the treaty is modified. This has lead to suggestions of consolidation of all the Canadian companies and the 1,000,000 horse power development.

SOLVES FARM HELP PROBLEM

Ohio Farmer Hit on Plan of Cultivating and Plowing All in One Trip.

Bucyrus, O.—The problem of farm help has been solved by Gus Spiegel, Crawford county farmer.

Hitching three horses to a riding plow Spiegel lets it follow him over his 24-acre farm as he goes ahead with another team driven to a cultivator. The driverless team has never made a skip, Spiegel says.

Female Mosquito Is Pest.

The male mosquito lives but a short time and does not often suck blood. The female normally feeds on the juice of plants, but prefers blood whenever there are any animals or humans to furnish it.

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6,000,000 votes were cast in the contest conducted by Motion Picture Classic to determine the motion picture actor who possessed the most charm. Wallace MacDonald obtained first place in this contest. He was adjudged the third handsomest of all the actors in the screen world. See him in "Mlle. Paulette," a Triangle feature.

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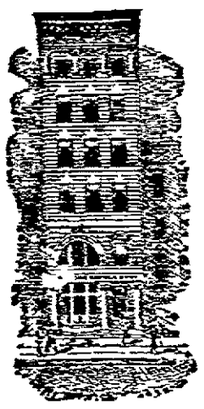
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Forceful Appeal For Support of Senator Hill By All Voters

Read the Following Letter Addressed to the Women Voters of Delaware County Written By Mrs. H. W. Cannon of Delhi. It Should Appeal to All.

Delhi, N. Y., August 22, 1918.

Dear Fellow Citizen:—

Just remember that Tuesday, September 3rd, is Primary Election Day.

Just remember that as an enrolled Republican woman of Delaware County, you can help nominate candidates for State and Local offices.

The main issue before the American people to-day is to "WIN THE WAR."

Every man nominated for public office must be not only loyal and patriotic—100 per cent American—he must also be efficient and well equipped for immediate service. We ought to be just as particular about insisting that the men we send to Congress are trained for their work as we are that the men we send to the front are trained for theirs. For the same reason that we don't send green men without military training straight to the firing line, we ought not to send green men without legislative training to our Congress. It is just as necessary that "the man behind the man behind the gun" be trained for congressional service as that the man behind the gun be trained for military service.

The best way to judge the qualifications of a candidate is by his record.

We ask you to vote at the Primary Election, September 3rd, for William H. Hill, candidate for the Republican nomination for representative in Congress from the 34th district, Broome, Chenango, Delaware, and Otsego counties for the following reasons:

Because Mr. Hill's patriotism and loyalty are unquestioned. He "would support to the limit every project to win the war."

Because during the four years that Mr. Hill has represented Broome and Delaware Counties in the State Senate, he has stood for much constructive and humanitarian legislation.

The important measures introduced by Mr. Hill, which have become laws, are:

Widowed Mothers' Pension Law, which provides: That there shall be a local board of child welfare in each county of the state, which may grant allowances to widowed mothers with one or more children under the age of 16 years in order that the children may be suitably cared for in their homes by such mothers. Experience has shown that no matter how excellent the care of children in state institutions may be, the children lose the sense of family responsibility, initiative, and the power to help themselves. Frequently, institutional children become charges of the state in later life. Such a provision for widowed mothers is not only humane, it is a saving investment for the state.

The Amendment to the Donnelly Anti-Trust Act. It was Senator Hill's quick perception that the vast numerical strength of the farmers made it impossible that they should ever be able to unite to the extent of forming a monopoly, which enabled him, together with his parliamentary skill, to secure during the closing hours of the last session the enactment of this amendment vital to the dairymen and food producers. The amendment protects the farmers' interests, and enables them to form associations for buying and selling supplies. It also saved the Dairymen's League from the disagreeable and embarrassing necessity of defending indicted members against the prosecution of the Tammany district attorney of New York City. In a farming district, this should be of vital importance to every voter.

The Local Option Law for Cities, which provides that cities, by petition secured, can call a special election at which the qualified electors can decide as to whether their city shall be license or no license. It was under this law that Oneonta, Binghamton, and Norwich were voted dry last spring, the decision to take effect on October 1st. Who can question that this verdict will be of the greatest benefit to the towns in Delaware County?

Vestibule Locomotive Cab Bill, which gives additional protection to engineers and firemen by requiring that railroad locomotives be equipped with enclosed cabs. By insuring the safety of the man in the cab, the safety of the traveler is equally guarded.

The important measures which were supported by Mr. Hill, who sometimes voted against the majority of his party, are:

Bill Protecting Women from Unlimited Hours of Labor in Canning Factories.

Bill Against the Suspension of Labor Laws During the War.

Bill Against the Repeal of the Full Crew Law.

Bill Providing for a Minimum Wage for Women.

Bill for the Woman Suffrage Amendment, and every bill looking to the protection of the welfare of children.

Summing up the evidence in the case, we ask you to vote for William H. Hill

Because

(1) He is a loyal American citizen.
(2) He has stood for progressive, upright legislation.
(3) He has the courage of his convictions.
(4) He is a thinker and a worker.
(5) He is a convicing speaker.
(6) He has a large number of supporters, 9,000 men and women having signed his petition. This is one of the largest petitions ever filed in this state for a similar office. His home county of Broome gave him the largest majority at the last election which any candidate for any office had ever received in that county.
(7) He is endorsed by a majority of the preachers, churches, and temperance organizations in his district.
(8) He has the respect and support of his neighbors and those who know him best.
(9) He has had abundant legislative experience and is, therefore, adequately equipped for legislative service.
(10) He would go to Washington well equipped to represent his district and state.

Because of all these "reasons why," we believe that it is up to the women of the 34th district to do their uttermost to nominate Mr. Hill on September 3rd and elect him on November 5th.

Hoping you will join forces with us to bring this about, we are,

Yours very truly,

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Mrs. Jeanette G. Keator, Vega
Mrs. Harry Marvin, Walton
Mrs. George Carpenter, Walton
Mrs. Laura Eggleston, Walton
Mrs. George T. Johnston, Walton
And Others

OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

SOME EVENTS IN LAURENS.

Village W. C. T. U. Will Hold Meeting Next Tuesday.

Laurens, August 30.—The W. C. T. U. will hold its meeting Tuesday, September 3, at the home of Mrs. Samantha Gardner, at which time Mothers' day will be observed, the date being changed from the second Tuesday in the month to the first Tuesday on account of the W. C. T. U. convention at Cooperstown.

Laurens Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Webster accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Webster spent Friday at Cooperstown.—Dr. C. H. Webster of Ithaca spent Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Webster.—Clyde Wright of Milford Center is spending the week with his little friend, Leverett Pashley.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Webster and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Webster were in Franklin Sunday to attend the funeral of Henry Briggs.—Mr. and Mrs. Merton Porter and family of Schenectady and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Edwards of Morris were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Y. Clinton.—Prof. and Mrs. F. J. Casey and son, Winsor, left Thursday for Marathon, where Mr. Casey will teach the coming year. All regret to have them leave town, but unite in wishing them success in their new home.—Mrs. H. O. Kidder and Mrs. C. W. VanBuren went to Oneonta Tuesday to meet Mr. and Mrs. Cameron, who were accompaning th body of Mrs. Cameron's mother, which was to be buried at Morris that afternoon. Mrs. Babcock used to live in Laurens and her many friends were grieved to learn of her death and sympathize with the daughter in her sorrow.— Miss Mildred Pashley returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives at Schenectady.

O. E. S. Meeting.

After a vacation of two months, Laurens chapter, No. 518, O. E. S., will open for work Monday night, September 2.

Safe Arrival Overseas.

Mrs. Della A. Merritt received word August 28 of the safe arrival overseas of her nephew, Walter Gildersleeve of Oneonta and her nephew, Harry O. Crandall, of Oneonta is also there and is on the honor roll and a grandson, John Evans, of Milton, Pa., is also at the front.

PORTLANDVILLE MAN DIES.

Russell Ryness Expires Suddenly at Noon on Wednesday.

Portlandville, August 30.—Wednesday afternoon Russell Ryness, for many years a resident of this place, died at the farm of Ralph Baker on the Spoonville road. Mr. Ryness had with the other hop pickers, partaken of dinner and started for the yard some distance from the house, being the last one to ascend the hill. Those who had commenced the work of the afternoon became anxious as he did not make his appearance and Robert Baker went in search of him. He had only reached the foot of the hill when he found Mr. Ryness lying dead. Coroner Getman was called and finding the cause of death to be hemorrhage. The body was taken to the home of his brother, Arthur Ryness, at Portlandville. The funeral was held at the Christian church Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Foss officiated. Interment at Milford Center. Mr. Ryness was a man about 70 years of age, a man who was respected by all and who will be missed in this place.

Portlandville Pointers.

Mrs. Grace Foster was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Aylesworth Wednesday afternoon.—Mrs. Inez Reynolds and daughter, Charlotte, left here on Tuesday for a visit with Mr. Reynold's parents in Oneonta before returning to their home in Brooklyn.—Mr. and Mrs. George Becker and mother, Mrs. Ackley, are attending the Pentecostal Camp meeting at Port Dickinson, near Binghamton. — Miss Lillian Perkins of Schuyler Lake is visiting Mrs. C. K. Rose and calling on other friends here.—Mrs. Walter Wright was called home from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Adsit of Sherburne, on account of the illness of her husband, who was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Packer during her absence. He is reported as somewhat improved, but not able to be removed to his home. Mr. and Mrs. Cluess and family returned home Tuesday, after a week's vacation spent with Mr. and Mrs. George Tunnicliff.—Rev. and Mrs. Foss, Miss Mumford and Minnie Bishop were business callers in Oneonta on Tuesday.—Mr. Molineaux has moved his family to Ilion, where he is employed by the Remington Arms company.

NEWS AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

International Milk Company Office Force Celebrate Birthday of W. Hovey

Cooperstown, August 30.—The office force of the recently sold International Milk Products plant had a picnic dinner served last evening in honor of the birthday of Manager W. W. Hovey. Chartering the Mohican, the party went to Rathbun's, at the head of the lake, where a very appetizing meal was served.

Walter Wilson Injured.

Walter Wilson recently met with an accident while working on the new hospital. He was standing upon a scaffold when a fellow workman accidentally pulled a plank from it, pitching Mr. Wilson to the ground, striking upon his back across a saw horse.

HAPPENINGS IN SCHENEVUS.

Schenevus, August 30. — The regular meeting of the Home Economics club will be held at the home of Mrs. R. S. Boyce, Tuesday afternoon, August 3. Miss Searles will be present and will demonstrate sugarless dishes. — Miss Helena Swackhamer, who has been engaged in a drug store at Sharon Springs during the summer, returned to her home here Thursday evening. — Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lippincott and family are enjoying a motor trip to New York and Philadelphia. — Miss Alma Richter of New York is spending a couple of weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wild. — Miss Leona Swackhamer leaves Monday morning to resume her position in the public schools at Freeport, L. I. — Frank Gendall and family of Reading, Pa., and Mrs. Gendall of Peckville, Pa., returned to their homes Friday, after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Revo Tillapaugh.

LENA NEWS.

Lena, August 30.—Morris Chase of Chase and Miss Ethel Harrington visited Sunday with Clark House at Patent.—There were about 100 people who attended the Sunday school picnic at D. L. Talbut's Wednesday. A bountiful dinner was served.—Miss Alice Dennes of Buffalo and Mrs. Louisa Bundy of Welcome visited Saturday and Sunday at the home of Chester Harrington.—There will be a dance at the grange hall Friday night. A cordial invitation is extended. Ladies please bring cake or sandwiches.—J. R. Thompson visited Saturday and Sunday at Frank Potter's at West Oneonta.—Mr. and Mrs. James Balcom and son, Claude, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Briggs attended the soldiers' reunion at Schuyler lake.

COLLECTED AT COLLIERS.

Colliers, August 30.—The Sewing circle will meet with Mrs. Helen Borden Thursday for dinner. Please bring refreshments and silver.—Mr. and Mrs. George Timewell are away on a pleasure trip to Boston and other places.—Mrs. Harold Palmer and son, Kenneth, spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Utter. — Mrs. Margaret Southworth spent Sunday and Monday at her home here. She was accompanied back to Herkimer Wednesday by her sister, Mrs. D. H. Williams.—The social Saturday evening was a decided success, the proceeds being $28.70.

OUT OF OTEGO.

Otego, August 30.—Usual services will be resumed in the Baptist church tomorrow. Professor Spencer of Hamilton will occupy the pulpit. Sunday school will follow preaching services. —Miss Margaret Cleveland, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Wait, returned to her home at Conneaut Lake, Pa., Thursday. Mrs. Wait accompanying her as far as Binghamton.—T. E. Place was a business caller in Franklin Friday. — G. W. Sherman was a business caller in Albany Friday and Saturday.—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Paulk, Fred Shepherd and Mrs. Almira Whitney motored to Albany Friday, returning Saturday.

DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

DELHI DAILY DOINGS.

Dr. Mendel's Lecture Attended by Large and Appreciative Audience.

Delhi, August 30.—The lecture at the Y. M. C. A. rooms last evening by Dr. Lafayette B. Mendel was well attended by an appreciative audience. The subject, "What is the Proper Food for Children," was handled by the professor in a scientific way, and was replete with suggestions as to the needs of the growing child and the proper food to give it to cause it to thrive and prosper. While conservation of food might be practiced as to the adult, yet the doctor suggested that those foods producing lime and iron should not be withheld from a child whose growth in order to assure health, required them. Miss Snodgrass, County Demonstrator of foods, followed Dr. Mendel, by giving a menu for children that was economical and healthful to the child.

Delhi Locals.

C. A. Mable, who has been long in the employ of the Delaware Express, has resigned the position and entered the employ of Mrs. E. H. Paine, grocer. — Clara and Naomi Boomhower are visiting their brother at Margaretville, Prof. Joshua G. Boomhower.—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Flowers of Sidney are visiting here.—W. C. Munn, the well-known insurance man has been ill the past week, but is recovering. — Mrs. William Dillon has gone to Cortland, where she will be employed during the fall millinery season.—The up-town telegraph office has been moved from C. D. Williams store of Heth G. Coons store.—C. D. Williams has closed out his stock of goods.

NORTH KORTRIGHT NOTES.

Rev. W. M. Bouton Gives Able Address Here Sunday.

North Kortright, August 30.—Rev. Webster M. Bouton, for 19 years a Methodist Episcopal minister and who last March was chosen assistant superintendent of the New York State Anti-Saloon league, delivered a stirring, patriotic and temperance address here Sunday, giving some startling facts relative to the liquor business as a factor in the continuance of the war. Many pledges were given in support of the important work of the Anti-Saloon league

Water Getting Low.

The continued drouth has reduced springs and streams to a remarkable degree. Garden vegetables and some other crops are also considerably affected by it.

Attended Reunion.

Mrs. Almon Georgia and two young daughters attended the Terry reunion at Oneonta, and last week visited Fergusonville friends.

Suffers Broken Hip.

Taylor Adair of Kortright has received the sad intelligence that his

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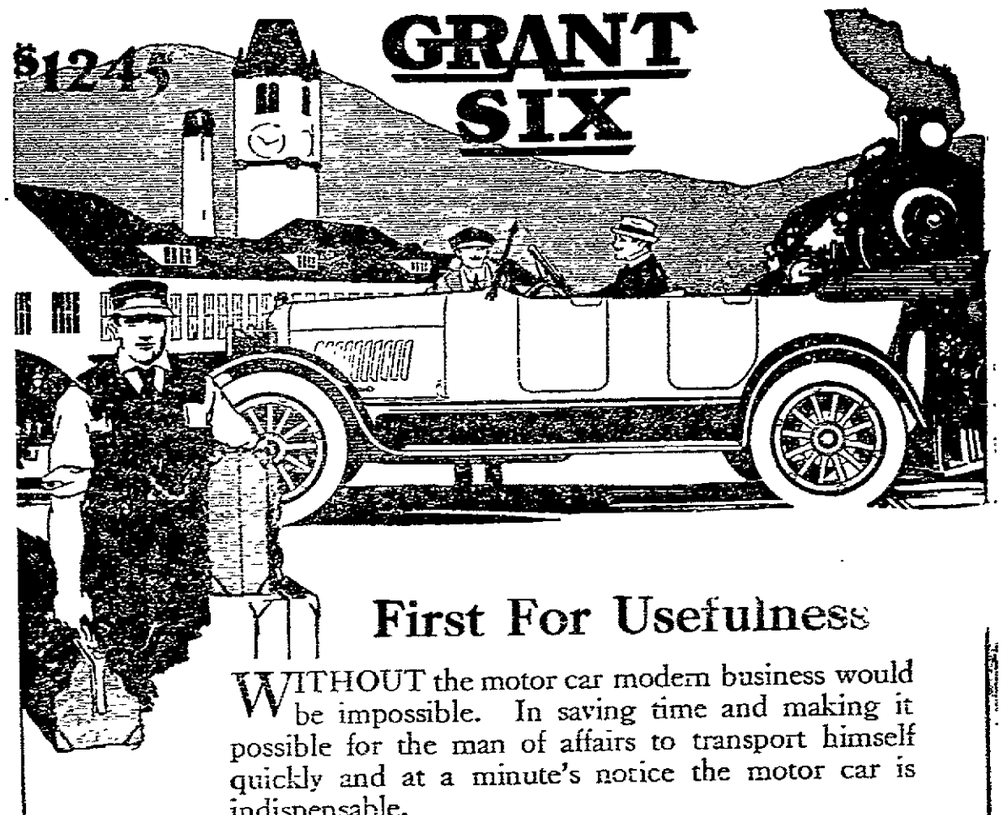

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LOCAL EDITORIAL MENTION.

Don't Run Your Car Sunday.

During the past three days the public has through the public press been sufficiently notified of the request of the National Fuel administration that gasoline propelled vehicles, except in certain specified cases of necessity, should not until further notice run on Sundays. During the other six days of the week everybody can go anywhere that is pleasing to him, but on the seventh day the owners of autos are asked to keep it without gasoline.

It is a thing which the government had a right to ask, and it could have been couched in form of an order instead of a request and nobody would have had a right to object. But in general in other emergencies the authorities have had enough confidence in the people to believe that they would not need a mandatory notice. It has that confidence now, and it hopes in order that there may be gasoline enough for the battle front that we may be willing to deny ourselves a little at home. It is the tanks and airplanes and Red Cross ambulances and the munitions trucks which will be benefited in Europe. Long ago the people of all the Allied countries gave up auto riding for pleasure.

Briefly summed up, the situation is this: The government for good reasons which all understand asks you to abstain from running your car on Sunday. Tomorrow there should not be a motor wheel on the road which turns merely for pleasure. It is the nation's demand, and to the extent to which it is complied with will be the measure of your patriotism.

The Primaries Next Tuesday.

The attention of voters, male and female, is called to the fact that on Tuesday next the primary elections in the state of New York will be held. While there has been much discussion of some of the candidates, there hase been practically none of the election itself, or of the obligations of each voter to participate in the nominations.

It is therefore not amiss to say that the primary election ranks in importance with the general election itself. In the primary the voter has opportunity to aid in the selection of candidates for positions in his own party. But once the candidates are nominated, there is not the remotest hope of electing any person not on a party ticket. There is all the chance in the world for voting independently—the ballot gives place for that—but there is no chance of getting enough persons to act together for a single independent candidate to put his election through.

If, therefore, you have choice of a candidate on your party ticket, it is your duty if you are an enrolled party voter, to attend the primaries and to vote for the candidates of whom you approve. You certainly cannot vote for him in November with any hope of winning unless his name gets on the ballot through the outcome of the September primaries.

Do not fail to perform your full duty. Get out to the primaries.

Opening of the Schools.

The public schools of Oneonta, as of the state generally, will open the day after Labor day—that is, on Tuesday of next week. For ten weeks or more the pupils and the teachers have been enjoying a vacation from school duties at least, even if the demands of the nation have to some extent called them to other fields of employment, and now, all being sufficiently rested—the school bell will ring, the pupils will come trooping in, the teachers will be in their places and everybody will be aboard for a year's trip on the good ship "Education."

There is no doubt that teachers and pupils will be alive to the school work, and that both will keep all the time in mind the interests of the school. Is it too much to expect that the parents will have a like intelligent interest—that they will know what is doing in the school room not through the disjointed comments of their children and of their playmates, but from personal observation? There is on the school calendar something known as Patrons' day, and on it parents are requested to come to the school building and observe the work of their children. It is an excellent thing to do, and an inspiring one; but to pupils and teachers alike the occasional presence of parents through the year would be an added inspiration.

His Heart in the Job.

There left this city for the state of Maine yesterday one who, in the short period of two years in which he had sojourned in Oneonta, had won to a remarkable degree the respect, the esteem and the confidence of the people of the community. Coming to Oneonta as the successor of one who as secretary of the Chamber of Commerce had achieved a fine reputation, it was not an easy thing at once to give to the Chamber the same satisfaction and quickly to win from the general public at least an equal degree of regard. But Secretary Charles E. Westervelt, tackling a difficult job, did exactly these things, and when, much to the regret of everybody, he left Oneonta, he carried with him their best wishes and from all nothing but the kindest words.

The reason for this is not far to seek—his mind was on his work and his heart was in the job. When to these things were added fine natural attainments, a genial presence, unfailing enthusiasm, a keen eye for possibilities, unusual initiative and wonderful energy in carrying plans out, it is no wonder that he made a great record in Oneonta. In his new field of labor his opportunities are doubtless greater, and he will unquestionably live up to their greatest possibilities; but nowhere will he win a circle of warmer friends than Westervelt—the man with his heart in his job—leaves behind in Oneonta.

MAY BUY FENIMORE HOTEL

LARGE CONCERN NEGOTIATING FOR ITS URCHASE FOR GLOVE FACTORY.

Kayser Company Also Considering Leasing the Old Hotel at Hartwick for a Branch Factory in that Village—Hotel Structure at Herkimer Sold for a Glove Factory Recently.

Negotiations are pending between one of the largest glove making firms at Gloversville and the owner of the Fenimore hotel property at Cooperstown for the purchase of that building for a branch glove factory and representatives of the prospective buyer are expected to visit the county seat today to make a final decision relative to the deal. It is the intention of the customer if the project goes through to use a portion of the building for the factory—presumably the dining room and kitchen wing—and a considerable portion of the structure will be changed somewhat and used for housing employes. It is thought that the prospects of the deal being consummated are bright.

In this connection it is interesting to note that the tendency of the large manufacturing concerns to have branch factories in various towns where the help problem is not so serious is becoming quite widespread. The Kayser company, with factories at various places, including Oneonta has sent a representative to Hartwick to look over the old hotel property on the west side with a view of leasing the same for a period of years and opening a branch factory there. The terms have been agreed upon and the final decision has been referred to the home office for approval. It is understood that the negotiations have progressed so far that a lease has been forwarded for approval. It is expected that a decision will be announced in a few days.

It is stated that a large hotel building in Herkimer has been recently sold for a similar purpose and as these buildings can be bought for a fraction of what similar sized structures would cost in the cities and with the opportunity to secure help without the strong competition of the centers, the chance to buy these hotel buildings may be one of the causes of a return of the small town factory enterprise which thrived in former years when Laurens, Morris, Index and Clinton Mills had their successful factories. It may also open a market for the large hotel buildings which may be found in many of the villages but for which there has been little use these later days.

ONEONTA PUBLIC LIBRARY.

New Books Recently Received—Consult Copy of Selective Service Register.

The library has received a copy of the Selective Service register, a sheet which give in concise form all needful directions both as to who must register and how it shall be done, with a request from the government to make it available for consultation by those who come under its requirements.

The war department calls for this registration early in September, the exact date to be announced by Presidential proclamation; it includes all men between the ages of 18 and 45 (both inclusive.)

A list of new books just added to the juvenile department of the library contains the following attractive titles:

The Gentle Pioneer (American Girl series); Eleanor of the Houseboat, by Miss Breitenbach, whose Alma books are such favorites; Amateur Circus Life; Daring Deeds of Famous Pirates; The Polar Hunters, by Roltwheeler, author of the Wonder of War in the Air. Four interesting books by Miss Taggart — Hollyhock House, The Wyndam Girls, Beth of Old Chilton and Six Girls and Bob; Pea-nut, Cub Reporter, by Walter P. Eaton; Ross Grant, Gold Hunter; Polly Trotter, Patriot; Tom Anderson, Daredevil; The Independence of Nan; Bobby of the Labrador; La-Salle (Great American series); Sabin's The Boy Settler; and Sheba by Miss Ray.

A book of dramatized scenes from American history, and one giving a brief account of some of the famous Founders of Our Country.

For the youngest readers some new "Twin Books," Andrew Lang's Sleeping Beauty, the Lost Little Lady and About Harriet.

Baker Family Reunion.

The 23d annual reunion of the descendants of George Baker was held at Ne-ah-wa park on Friday. There were about 90 present and a most enjoyable time was reported by all.

Officers chosen were: Fred Reed, president; Mrs. E. D. VanCleft, vice president; Mrs. Burton Moffatt, secretary and treasurer; Mr. Barnes, historian. The next reunion will be held at the park the last Friday in August, 1919.

Prestige.

"John," exclaimed the nervous woman, "I believe there is a burglar in the house."

"I haven't time to fool with small fry," was the sleepy response. "I've spent the entire day fighting regular profiteers."—[Washington Star

Raise Bigger Hogs, Quicker

(National Crop Improvement Service.)

SINCE PIGS are now commonly fattened for market before maturity, they are growing rapidly as well as storing fat in their bodies. Consequently, their ration should supply ample protein and mineral matter for growth. Corn alone does not produce best results, but should be supplemented by concentrates placed before the hogs at all times in a self-feeder. A pig fed in this way should grow from a pound to a pound and six ounces in a day.

Professor Evvard of Iowa states that pigs allowed free access to supplements such as tankage, linseed meal and wheat middlings, etc., show a remarkable ability to balance their own ration. Whole corn alone, however, is wasteful.

It is our patriotic duty to utilize as much as possible of the human food in whole grains and to so combine the by-products that hogs will fare better than if fed whole grain.

Though pigs require less salt than other farm animals, they should be supplied with it regularly in a trough or small self-feeder. Pigs crave charcoal, ashes, mortar, soft coal and many other "crunchible" substances and a mixture of charcoal and mineral salts should be furnished at all times.

The improvement in commercial mixed feeds has been marked and repeated tests now show that hog raisers who are not able to raise enough feed for their swine are able to make good profits by feeding by-products.

It is a good business proposition to feed a hog so that he will mature quickly. There is no profit in hogs which do not mature in less than the average time.

NEWSPAPERS EAST AND WEST

Not the Least Benefit of Today.

Not the least of the immediate benefits of the victory is that it has dished whatever project the Germans had of destroying Paris by a concentrated bombardment. From the nearest point where the Germans can set up a big gun it is now some 60 miles to Paris, much too far for any ordnonce but the relatively harmless supergun. Till July 18 the distance was but 39 miles, and the peril was real. Its elimination, no doubt, increases the kaiser's distress over the bombing of the Rhine cities.—[Springfield Republican.

Pittsburgh's Bolshevist Firemen.

Because the city authorities failed to meet their demands for increased pay the members of the Pittsburgh fire department, with some honorable exceptions, went on strike. Then a dangerous fire broke out. Citizens, with the help of the few firemen who had not deserted their posts, organized a fire fighting body and attacked the blaze to the best of their ability and succeeded in mastering it.

This is a free country—theoretically. If, however, public servants who are employed by the people's government to perform indespensable work for the people were free to quit their posts in a body whenever they chose they would exercise a tyranny of fear over those whom they are employed to serve. Then this would be no free country.

Any so called freedom that is tyranny cannot wear a disguise so successfully that it will be accepted by its victims as something other than its ugly and intolerable self.—[Chicago News.

The Truth About Germany.

It may still be true that Germany has considerable fighting strength left, but it is diminishing rapidly.

At the same time the stream of man-power from the United States is flowing uninterruptedly and soon there will be a large addition to the supply at the source. Soon, also, the people of this country will supply additional billions, through the purchase of Liberty bonds, to keep the soldiers well armed and otherwise equipped, and amply supplied with food.

There are indications tha Germany knows when she is beaten. It remains to make her admit it.—[New York Tribune.

How It Was Done.

America has been able to transport more than 1,000,000 soldiers, explains Capt. Zimmermann of the German general staff in a popular lecture, by using "small, swift steamers which afford very difficult targets for the torpedoes of submarines." Meanwhile no doubt all those big German liners are plying between New York and Coney Island?—[Springfield Republican.

Monarchy in Great Britain.

The monarchy in Great Britain is a compromise that was accepted by a generation regardless of education and devoid of any sense of the future. It is now a mask upon th British face; it is a gaudy and antiquated and embarrassing wrapping about the energies of the nation.

Because of it Britain speaks to her youth, as to the world, with two voices. She speaks as a democratic republic, just ever so little crowned, and also she speaks as a succulently loyal Teutonic monarchy. Either she is an adolescent democracy whose voice is breaking or an old monarchy at the squeaking stage. Now her voice is the full, strong voice of a great people, now it pipes ridiculously. She perplexes the world and stultifies herself.—[H. G. Wells in the New Republic.

The Ragged German Line.

The more the Germans retreat, the raggeder their line looks. In a hard-fought war it is difficult for a general to retrieve a false step, and Foch's eagle eye saw every snare and pitfall into which the need for a quick victory had tempted the enemy.—[Exchange.

Taking the Baths at Sharon.

Omer M. Sloat, proprietor of the Central hotel at Worcester, and well known to many Star readers, is at Sharon Springs, taking the baths and treatment for rheumatism, from which he has for some time been suffering. He reports that he is being much benefited.

NAILS IN KAISER'S COFFIN.

Grangers at Schenevus Picnic Have Novel Plan to Raise Money.

Schenevus, August 30. — At the Grange-Community picnic, to be held in Schenevus on Labor day, Sept. 2, the three granges will jointly furnish a Kaiser's coffin, in which the people present will be invited to drive as many nails and spikes as they like, at ten cents each for nails and 25 cents each for spikes. The entire receipts from this coffin will be equally divided among the Schenevus, Elk Creek and Worcester branches of the Red Cross. This will take the place of the tag days held in previous years, and it is hoped that the Red Cross may realize a goodly sum by this means.

Basket Meeting at North Franklin.

The executive committee of the Woman's Missionary society of the Franklin Baptist association held a meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Arthur Whiteman, Reynolds avenue. The committee is composed of Mrs. B. G. Shaffer, Mrs. N. S. Burd, Mrs. C. H. Manning and Mrs. Arthur Whiteman.

At this conference it was decided to hold a basket meeting at the church at North Franklin on October 12 next, and details of the program were arranged.

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8 a. m.	50
2 p. m.	76
8 p. m.	66

Maximum, 80—Minimum, 47

LOCAL MENTION.

—Both banks will be closed Monday—Labor day.

—The Red Cross rooms will be closed all day Monday next, Labor day.

—The post office will be open until 10 o'clock Monday—Labor day. One mail delivery will be made in the city.

—Grace T. Mills, deputy city clerk, was yesterday granted by Justice Kellogg a final decree of absolute divorce with the right to resume her former name of Grace T. Mills.

—Intelligence has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Simon L. Mull of the safe arrival overseas of their son, Harry Mull, well known here but who went with a California detachment.

—About three hundred pupils are registered for the Oneonta High school for the coming year. Of this number 120 are freshmen, 75 sophomores, 55 juniors, 40 seniors and five taking post graduate work.

—The Tuskegee Singers will render an appropriate musical program at the Free Baptist church Sunday morning in the interest of the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial institute. They will also sing for the members of the Sunday school following the morning service.

—Responding to numerous requests for a Sunday concert, the City band will render an appropriate program at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the pavilion at Ne-ah-wa park. The park is an ideal spot for band concerts, and it is hoped that a large audience will be on hand.

TODAY YOUR LAST OPPORTUNITY

Subscription Rate for Daily Star Advances on Monday Next.

Today will be your last opportunity to pay your subscription to the Daily Star to January 1 next at the old rate of $4 per year as the new rate become effective on September 1, after which all advance subscriptions will be charged at the new rate. The announcement of the change in rate has been caried in the paper daily during the month of August and all have been given an equal opportunity to take advantage of the chance to pay at the old rate to January 1 next. That no subscriber may be inclined to complain of lack of due notice of the change this last reminder is given and all payments sent through the mails and postmarked as of August 31 will be accepted as made on that date.

Pressure Canner Not Operating Today.

Owing to the fact that the rooms in the Emmons block have been leased for other purposes, yesterday was the last day in which the pressure canner could be operated from that place. The canner will not be in operation today, nor again until a suitable location can be secured, which will probably be in a day or two. As soon as a location is secured due notice of opening will be given in the columns of The Star.

Meetings Today.

The Philatheas of the West Oneonta Free Baptist church will hold their annual picnic at A. C. Jenks' farm on Monday, Sept. 1. The Baracas and attendants of both classes and their friends are cordially invited to be present. Bring dishes and your own sugar and eatables for a picnic dinner.

Attention, G. A. R.

Regular August meeting of the G. A. R. will be held in the G. A. R. rooms at 3 p. m. It is hoped there will be a good attendance.

Range Open Monday.

The range of Company G at West End will be open Monday at 10 a. m. for the balance of the day.

I have a few more potato and apple crates for sale. Farmers and gardeners cannot afford to do without them, as they cost only twice as much as old grain sacks which soon wear out, while the crates last for years if kept housed. They are for sale at Morris Brothers' and at the R. J. Torrey market or at my place, East End. A. D. Coffin. advt 1t

Special for today—Fowls and chickens, 40 cents per pound; best cuts of roast beef, 25 cents per pound; home-grown tomatoes, four pounds for 25 cents; fresh yellow corn, 24 cents per dozen; cabbages, 3 cents per pound; new potatoes, 40 cents per peck; also fine bananas, 25 cents. Todd's Cash market. Phone 19.

Menu for Lutheran Church Supper Saturday Evening.

Cream Potatoes - Pressed Meat
Baked Beans - Cabbage Salad
Pickles - - - Jelly
Bread - - Butter
Assorted Cakes
Tea - Coffee

Price 25 cents.

Come to the Lutheran church this evening for a good supper—25c. advt. 1t

Monday being Labor day our store will be closed all day. Winans Grocery company. advt. 1t

Our markets will be closed all day Monday. R. J. Torrey, B. W. Dickinson. advt. 1t

For Sale—Tent 18x20 feet, at bargain. 33 Cherry street. advt 1t

Service flags—All sizes. Hoffman. advt 3t

Cashier wanted at once. Pioneer lunch advt. tf

MEN CALLED FOR SEPTEMBER 3

Seventeen Limited Service Men to Report on Tuesday and to Entrain at Once for Training at Camp Syracuse — Thirty Men Called for September 6.

An order received by the Local Board last evening directs the entrainment of 17 limited service men for Camp Syracuse, Syracuse, on September 3. The following men have been chosen to go: Frank R. Porter, Alex Eignor, Frank Fraboni, Walter S. Petre, Frederick A. Myers, Cyrus H. Ward, Harry J. Ford, John L. Sullivan, John Geiselmann, Leon Rivenburg, William M. Whitbeck, Robert H. Watson, Henry J. Carley, Benjamin L. Manzer, George H. Knapp, Fredie Minster and Floyd Enderkin. The following men are called as alternates: John J. Chase, Fay B. Hopkins, Frank Kelley, George B. Scott and Elmer D. Cady. The men have been ordered to report at 9 a. m. Tuesday, September 3, at the armory. They entrain at 10:35. Although the order was not received until the evening train from Albany, the notices were prepared and mailed to the men last night, their notice at the best being short.

General Service Call.

The Board also received an order calling for the entrainment of 30 general service men for Camp Jackson, S. C., on September 6. The preparation of the list of the men to go under this call is being held up pending the disposition of several railroad claims by the District Board at Albany.

To Entrain Today.

Charles W. Hubbard, Albert Misner, Lynn P. Earl and William G. Boardman, inducted into service by the Board yesterday afternoon, leave at 6:30 this morning for Camp Upton. They will be captained by Roger T. Coyle, a transferee from the Local Board at Granville. Mr. Coyle has been assistant manager of the Oneonta factory of the Quality Silk company.

Charles Jennings leaves this morning at 9:50 for the army occupational school at Durham, N. H.

LABOR DAY ON MONDAY.

Stores Will Be Closed All Day — End of Summer Vacation Season.

Labor day—usually recognized as ending the summer vacation season and the time for the resumption of active work on a more intensive scale—falls on Monday, and following the custom of several years the stores and business places of members of the Merchants' association will be closed all day. It is understood that the observance will be quite universal with the grocery and meat shops closed for the entire day.

There will also be quite generally a suspension of work at shops and mills and so far as possible all given a holiday before the active work which will continue without interruption, it is expected, until Thanksgiving. There has been planned no general observance of the day here, but there will be various fraternity and numerous private party affairs. The Elks are to hold their fifth annual clambake, which event is scheduled for Wilber park, with some interesting games and contests. The Stamford and Hobart Elks will play a game of baseball against a team composed of players from other places, which is expected to arouse much interest. Tommy Glenn's band is expected to furnish the music and the members are anticipating a jolly good time.

REXMERE QUARTET COMING.

To Appear at Municipal Hall Tuesday Evening Next as Benefit.

The Rexmere Honey Boys' quartet is announced to give an entertainment consisting of a repertoire of plantation melodies, folk songs, dialect readings, with a string orchestra as an added feature, and last but by no means least Adolphis Johnson, a writer of verses of no mean merit, in readings of his own composition, at Municipal hall Tuesday evening, September 3, at 8 o'clock.

This will be an entertainment well worth while. It is given as a benefit for the A. M. E. mission, which is another reason why it should be accorded a liberal patronage.

High School Registration.

Registration for the pupils in the Oneonta High school will be continued this a. m. in the principal's office from 11 o'clock until 12. School opens for the first term on Tuesday a. m., September 3, at 8:15. It is imperative that all pupils not registered so far do so today as this will be the last opportunity until Tuesday afternoon at 3 p. m.

The barber shop located with the Star lunch room, 279 Chestnut street, will open for business Tuesday morning with a competent barber in attendance. Your patronage will be appreciated. advt 1t

Robert E. Gardner announces opening of class in violin instruction. For lesson appointments, kindly register Tuesday, September 3, 152 Main street. advt 3t

If you are hungry for clams and other delicacies of the season attend the Moose-Trainmen clambake at Farone's grove tomorrow. Tickets, $3.00. advt. 1t

Beginning September 3, the store of John B. VanDeusen will close at 6:30 instead of 8 o'clock as has been the custom. advt. 2t

Notice.

All union barber shops will close all day Monday—Labor day. advt. 1t

Wanted—Night chef at the Pioneer lunch. Hours from 4 to 2. Good wages to right party. advt tf

Wanted—Middle aged man to drive delivery car. Call 449. advt tf

376 Wright's delivery. advt tf

FATALLY INJURED ON TROLLEY.

Frank Smith of Toddsville Dies at Thanksgiving Hospital Friday.

Cooperstown, August 30. — Frank Smith of Toddsville, who was injured near Oaksville at about 10 o'clock Thursday night and was brought to Thanksgiving hospital immediately after the accident, died at the hospital this afternoon at about 4 o'clock.

The unfortunate man was run over by the trolley car near Oaksville, by the last car south Thursday night. Both legs were cut off, one just above the knee and the other just below the knee. He was given every attention possible but his injuries were too serious and were thought from the first to be fatal.

An explanation of the accident is difficult to give. It is generally accepted by those most familiar with it, that in attempting to stop the car so that he could board it and ride to his home at Toddsville that he misjudged its speed and thought that he could step aside after attracting the attention of the motorman and that he was caught before he could move out of the way of the approaching car.

Smith was about 28 years of age and leaves a wife and one child. He was employed as a track hand on the trolley rod. He formerly was in the employ of Reed Spraker at Fly Creek. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith of Toddsville. One brother, Edward, also survives him. The brother is understood to be in the service.

WHERE YOU CAN VOTE.

Polling Places in the Several Wards for the Primary Election.

In response to numerous inquiries from persons who had overlooked the earlier publication of polling places for the primary election in the county of Otsego. The Star this morning gives the location of the places for voting in the city of Oneonta. It will be noted that in the first and second wards the Republican primaries will be held separate from those of all other parties. In the other wards all parties will vote at the same polling places. The designated places for voting are as follows:

First ward, First district—Municipal building, Main street, Republican party.

First ward, Second district—Stone's barn, 398 Main street. All other parties.

Second ward, First district—Walsh's barn, 41 Maple street. Republican party.

Second ward, Second district—Ford's barn, 363 Main street. All other parties.

Third ward—Coy's garage, 14 Dietz street. All parties.

Fourth ward—Wright's barn, 53 Dietz street. All parties.

Fifth ward — Powell's barn, 89 Chestnut street. All parties.

Sixth ward—Hull's barn, 49 London avenue. All parties.

BRIGADIER GENERAL WHITE.

Well-Known Cooperstown Man Heads Otsego War Savings Army.

Commander in Chief William J. Tully of the War Savings army of the United States of America has appointed George H. White of Cooperstown to be brigadier general in command of the Otsego brigade of the New York State corps of that army. This is a conspicuous honor and reflects much credit on Mr. White, who has always been active in all forms of war activities.

The moral, civic and economical value of the work will be apparent when the general plan of the campaign is published, which will be in a short time.

There will be organized in the county a number of regiments, and colonels to head them will be appointed by General White. There are now 35 of these brigades operating in the state, the first having been instituted June 4. The work is a purely patriotic one, none of the officers receiving any emolument.

Any Fool Can Find Fault.

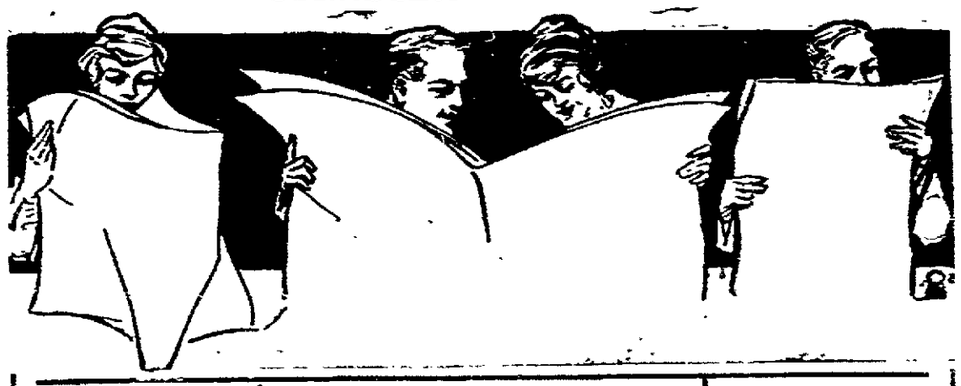
And he generally works over time. The President has a vast amount of information which I do not have and he knows what is best, better than I. Therefore I do not find fault with him, but try to help him. I am charitable to the person who is so busy learning to do his work well that he doesn't have time to find out about m Through The Oneonta Star, on each Saturday, I try to tell them how wise and safe state and government laws have been made to give us common, everyday people a better chance than we ever had before. I try to tell them how I am using these safe and wise laws to help us little fellows and how I have combined their small monthly amounts of $1 or more, at 6 per cent compound interest, and have thus accumulated hundreds of thousands of dollars, and am now thus fast accumulating two million more. Watch me grow and do good. I am the safe Oneonta Building and Loan association. advt 1t

On River street, near Main, there are two good residence properties for sale. Single house, eight rooms, range, furnace, bath, garden, $3,000. Double house, range, furnace, gas light, bath, garden, on both sides, $4,000. You can buy either place on very easy terms, and they are worth the money. Inquire W. D. Bush, Oneonta Hotel building. Phone 110-W. advt 3t

Your money's worth and more when you buy a Stetson cigar. They are made of the best tobacco and after the most improved methods and under sanitary regulations. The Stetson Brief is still selling for 5 cents, although worth more. advt 3t

Attend the clambake tomorrow at Farone's grove. Tickets $3.00 and your money's worth guaranteed. advt. 1t

PLEASE SHOP BEFORE 5 P. M.



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One 4 " " " "	100
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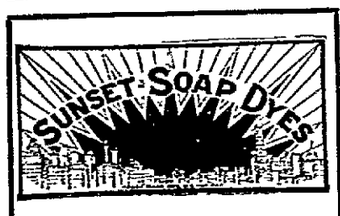

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I cannot show you this wide range in patterns and prices on paper, but if you will call I will be pleased to and think it will pay you.

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Crowded

We are becoming like the above, with the arrival of Fall goods.

We are not cutting prices because much of our stock is now below the market.

We'll confess that we haven't followed the market as closely as we should.

Perhaps we're foolish, but you won't be if you should buy one or more suits as they stand today.

SPENCER'S
Busy Clothes Shop
ONEONTA, N. Y.

If You Have Anything to Sell Try a Want Ad.

PERSONALS.

Ernest Folmsbee of Middlefield was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Attorney Everett B. Holmes was in Binghamton yesterday on legal errands.

Miss Lena Griffin of this city departed Friday for a visit with friends in South Edmeston.

Mrs. J. J. Lyons returned yesterday to Albany, after a visit with Mrs. W. A. Bailey in this city.

Mrs. Daniel F. Corr of this city spent Friday with her daughter, Mrs. L. E. Smith, of Cherry Valley.

Miss Ruth Miller of New Berlin is the guest for a few days at the home of Rev. and Mrs. N. S. Burd, 49 Miller street.

Mrs. Harry Simmons of Albany returned home Friday, after visiting her sister, Mrs. Clarence E. Holmes of this city.

Mrs. Jane Stanton of West Laurens was in Oneonta Friday, on her way to visit her aunt, Mrs. Martha Danforth, in Jefferson.

Mrs. E. M. Rockwell and daughter, Zada, of 117 Elm street departed Friday for a few days' stay with friends in Schenectady.

Mrs. Wilson Ford and children, who had been visiting relatives in Oneonta for some time, returned Friday to their home in Bennington, Vt.

Miss Pauline Koelle of 4 Columbia street left last evening to visit her mother and grandmother in Scranton, Pa., until after Labor day.

Major E. J. Parish left Friday morning for Camp Whitman, where he will lecture on military matters before the Officers' Training camp.

Miss Edith Swackhammer, who had been visiting Miss Frances Cook in Morris, was in Oneonta yesterday, on her way to her home in Schenevus.

Mrs. Charles Palmer, who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Whaley in this city, departed yesterday for her home in Mt. Morris.

Mrs. Harry B. Adsitt, who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. Julia A. Munson of South Side, returned yesterday to her home in West Haven, Conn.

Mrs. W. L. Strader of Cleveland, Ohio, departed for home Friday, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bouton, 14 Brook street.

Mrs. Elizabeth Walsh of Church street is spending the month of September visiting friends and relatives in Binghamton, Deposit and Whitney Point.

Mrs. William Force and son, Walter, who had been visiting friends in Hartwick, were in Oneonta yesterday on their way to their home in Rahway, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Aldon and daughter, Miss Alden, arrived home last evening from a trip to Washington, D. C., where they visited their son and brother.

Miss Agnes Burdick of this city left Friday for a visit with friends at Groton. Afterwards she goes to Jamesburg, N. J., where she will teach for the ensuing year.

Mrs. E. H. Larkin and two children of Schenectady, who had been guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Stephen Leonard, 300 Chestnut street, returned home Friday.

F. C. Hull, who was called to Otego by the death and funeral of his late father, C. B. Hull, is detained there by the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. Frances Hull.

Rev. George Summerson of Davenport Center was in Oneonta Friday, on his way to Westford, where he officiated at the funeral services of John R. Griggs, a former parishioner.

Miss Gertrude McDaris left yesterday for Lockport. After a short visit with her sister in that city she will enter the Buffalo General hospital for a three years' training couse as a nurse.

Mr. and Mrs Quincy Parish and Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Shear and children, Bruce and Dorothy, depart this morning by auto for a week's visit with relatives in New Rochelle and New York city.

Mrs Bella Huributt and daughters, Marcia, Dorothy and Frances, who had been spending the summer with Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Buckley at the Cathedral Farms, departed yesterday for their home in Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Schwenoky and Mrs. A. Linnaberry of this city left yesterday for a week's visit with relatives. They were accompanied by Edward Short, who lately enlisted in the navy and had received instructions to report at the Brooklyn navy yard.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coy, Mrs. Merton Coy, Frank Pender and Edward Owens were in Binghamton yesterday in attendance at the funeral of Mrs. Dexter Orr, wife of a veteran D. L. & W. engineer, well known in this city. Mrs. Coy remained to spend the week-end with friend in that city.

Dr. A. H. Brownell and son, Stuart, leave by auto at noon today for New York city, where they will meet Miss Elizabeth Brownell and Miss Mildred Peck, instructor in Latin at the High school, who will accompany them to Oneonta. Miss Brownell has been the guest of Miss Peck at Southampton, L. I., for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. House of 38 Grove street have returned from Hopkinton, N. H., where they have been visiting the latter's parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Phillips. While in New England, they took an auto trip with friends from Concord to Exeter, N. H., visited Hampton and Salisbury beaches and returned home by the way of Boston.

Get behind a Stetson and you may be confident that there's not to be found anything better in the way of a cigar. They are sold in various styles—all worth the price asked. advt 3t

Feather beds made into mattresses. C. F. Philbrick, 7 Hamilton avenue. Goods called for and delivered. adv. tf

My office will be open for appointments September 3rd. Dr. Arthur S. Barnes, D. D. S. advt 6t

LEAVE FOR FORT SLOCUM

Four Men Enlisted in Oneonta Depart via the U. & D. Today.

Four men above the new draft age, who lately have enlisted for service in the armies of the United States at the enlistment headquarters in this city, will leave on the Ulster and Delaware railroad at 7:15 this morning for the camps to which they have been assigned. The men are Edward D. Hirshey and John Donaldson of this city, whose enlistment had previously been announced, Fred M. Hoffman of Corning and Everett Woolheater of Kortright. Hoffman enlists in the Ordnance department, the other three in the Quartermaster's. Woolheater will stop at Poughkeepsie for his final examination. The others, whose examinations have been made and who have been accepted, proceed directly to Fort Slocum, going from Kingston via the Hudson River Day line of steamers.

During the first week of August there were 13 men enrolled at the Oneonta office. After that enlistment was ordered discontinued of men who would be in the new draft age; and later it was renewed for the men above 45 years. During the past three or four days there have been many inquiries and it is believed that a considerable number will enlist.

Clergymen Successful Anglers.

District Superintendent Hensey and Pastor Johns of the First Methodist Episcopal church returned yesterday from a ten days' outing passed in Canada in a section where Dr. Hensey knows the fishing grounds. They caught during their stay an abundance of fish, including wall-eyed pike, pickerel and bass, bringing with them as proof of their prowess with the rod and reel a well-filled tub of their later catches, including the largest fish of the outing, which was a wall-eyed pike reaching well above the five-pound mark, which the resident pastor hooked shortly before 12 o'clock on Wednesday, the hour set for the final reel-up. Both return much refreshed by the respite from labor. Pastor Johns leaves this morning for a visit among old parishioners at his first appointment at Leraysville, before resuming his duties.

Secretary Westervelt Departs.

Charles E. Westervelt, who recently resigned as secretary of the Oneonta Chamber of Commerce to accept a similar position at Auburn, Maine, departed Friday morning to assume his new duties. His family remains for a couple of weeks. He hopes to return and accompany them and perhaps to be here to assist his successor for a day or two in familiarizing himself with the city and the office here. Editorial reference to his departure is made in this issue, which voices a just tribute to his work and to the man himself.

At St. Paul's A. M. E. Mission.

Regular services will be resumed on Sunday at St. Paul's A. M. E. Mission on Otsego street. Sunday school at 3 p. m. Song service at 7:30 o'clock. Preaching at 8 o'clock.

Births.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John M. Rifenburg, 233 Main street, Tuesday evening, a two and three-quarter pound daughter, Gladys Sarah.

Card of Thanks.

Rev. Mrs. Anderson, pastor of the A. M. E. Mission, desires to return many thanks to the following named persons and to all others who helped her to make the colored camp meeting a success: E. W. Elmore, of the Elmore Milling company for lights and other assistance; L. C. Gurney and other members of the Park commission, for the grounds, C. C. Miller, for interior lighting fixtures; the wire chief of the O. & D. Telephone company for outside wires, Mr. and Mrs Varnum, for water and other accommodations; H. W. Sheldon, for lumber; Messrs. Davis and Wells, for musical assistance; Miss Florence Mayo and Henry Breeze, of our mission; Revs C. S. Pendleton, D. D., J. C. Trauger and J. C. Johnson for their valuable assistance, Mr. Holmes and Mr. Snowdon, who stood by me through the night, and many others whom space will not allow mention. advt. 1t

Card of Thanks.

Many friends will please accept our heartfelt thanks for the many deeds of kindness and words of sympathy during our recent bereavement, especially for the beautiful floral tributes from the Odd Fellows lodge, the Rebekahs, the R. D. carriers, and the post office force of Otego. We are deeply grateful to all who assisted in any way and to all who sent flowers to the funeral of our late husband and father, C. B. Hull.

Frances Hull,
F. C. Hull,
E. J. Hull.

Final Clearance Sale of Hats.

Including some of the season's smartest models, suitable for sport or dress wear. Fine Milans, hemps and Leghorn hats. You will need a hat to finish out the summer months, and one to begin the spring with. Just received new fall hats. Don't fail to see them at Miss Murtaugh's Hat shop, second floor, Oneonta Department store. advt 3t

The Hat Shop.

Only ten days more of the August sale of millinery. An opportunity to get a late summer or early spring hat at less than cost. Miss Hilton, 19 Washington street. advt 3t

Why pay more when you can buy a Stetson Brief cigar for a nickle? There's none better and few indeed as good. Try one and be convinced. advt 3t

The clambake of the Moose and Trainmen will be held Sunday, Sept. 1, at Parone's grove. The tickets are $3.00. advt. 1t

COMMANDS AMERICAN FORCES IN ITALY

Maj. Gen. C. G. Treat, commander of the American army in Italy, whose readiness to go into action on the Italian front has been announced by General March, chief of staff. The troops received a great ovation when they paraded through the streets of Turin and Milan, according to an official dispatch from Rome. American soldiers have already distinguished themselves in Italy, our flyers having done great work in the memorable battle of the Piave, when the Austrian army was routed.

Wanted — 2,000 old feather beds at once. The highest prices paid. Will call for same. Address 200, care Star. advt tf

Wanted—At once, woman cook at the Twentieth Century lunch room. Good wages. advt tf

263-W calls a taxi. J. W. Pomeroy, Wilson house. advt 2w.

376 Wright's delivery. advt tf

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You'll enjoy the style possibilities of this shop. And you'll never forget the genuinely good service we give if once you sample it.

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Horses For Sale

Good stock always on hand for sale or exchange. Commission sales every Friday of year Something new for the auction this Friday, July 26, 1918, at 366 1-2 Main street.

William M. Anderson
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Van Wie's used Car bargains

BUY YOUR AUTOMOBILE THIS YEAR SURE

Taking into consideration the high prices of new automobiles, here are some fine bargains:

Maxwell five-passenger, a bargain	$200
Pullman Roadster or delivery car	$300
Cole five-passenger, cheap at	$350
Partin Palmer, five-passenger	$350
Studebaker, seven-passenger, cheap	$400
Overland, fine condition, new tires	$550
Overland, fine condition, a bargain	$500
Mitchell, six-cylinder, new tires	$500
Lozier, six-cylinder, perfect condition, bargain	$900
Cole 8, seven-passenger, perfect condition and finish	$1150

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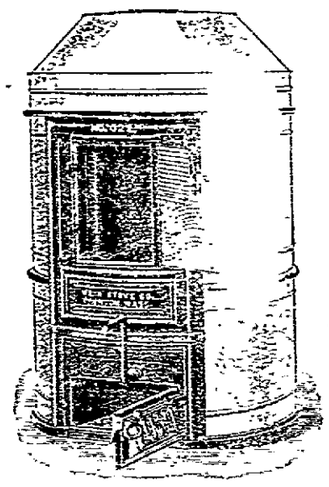

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Motorcar Man Makes Experiment to Find Out Just How Far Chivalry Has Waned.

Probably because of the fact that people are supposed to know all about their motorcars, the sight of a car hung up along the road does not bring the offers of assistance it used to do in times past. It is not so many years ago that the sight of a stranded car would be the signal for a flock of autos to gather around and proffer all kinds of advice, both good and bad, but even then there were those who paid no more attention to another man's trouble than to bestow a sarcastic grin, says the Washington Star. Recently one motorcar man made an experiment to find out just how far chivalry had waned in recent years. He placed a car on a busy road and kept a man standing by it. According to report, nearly five hundred cars passed without one slowing down to ask if any help were needed. Then the experiment was repeated with a pretty girl by the stalled car. The first two cars passed on, for the reason that the drivers were looking the other way, but the third stopped. This test was repeated three times and results showed that one in every four drivers volunteered aid.

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Double house, nicely located on Clinton street, about one-quarter acre of land, lots of fruit, garage, hen house. Upstairs flat rents for $10 a month. Toilet and bath, hot and cold water in house. Price, $2,500. Cash payment, $500, balance easy terms.

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WAR CAUSING NEW ACTIVITY

Conditions Compel the Adoption of New Schemes to Fit the Purse and Opportunities—No One Fashion Prevails.

New York.—Fashions are rarely fixed, but never have they seemed to fluctuate more fluently and perversely than now. It does not need a Diogenes with a lantern, asserts a foremost fashion writer, to find the reason for this condition. Certain raw materials are lacking; labor grows scarcer every moment, although it shouldn't with so many women to be employed, and the designers put out in the morning whatever they dream of at night.

To the observer these days are fascinating. To the woman who thinks she has settled the question of clothes for an entire season by buying her costumes at the beginning of it, the situation is not only perplexing but irritating.

It is quite useless for the world to go against human nature by preaching standardization of apparel or food. We will not eat the same dishes three times a day 365 days in the year, and we will not wear the same gown ten hours a day for twelve months. If we can't get raw materials to diversify our food and apparel, at least we can stimulate the appetite and the eyes by mixing what we have into new forms.

Everyone Plays on Fashions.

Viewed from the airplane point of view, it looks as if the entire world of women will attempt to bring out something new in clothes for themselves or for their neighbors.

This does not mean that they have ceased to work for the Red Cross. It only means that such work has intensified their desire to dress well before the public, and has brought them into such an active current of air that they see new things and think of them with brains that might have been almost atrophied from inaction before the war. Stimulate a brain in one direction, you know, and it reacts in all directions.

Stimulation is the heart and soul of life, and it is undoubtedly the means of producing the very best kind of national dressing. It will cause a woman to rebel against looking as if she belonged to a procession in which every member must dress alike. It kindles a flame in the brain, which heats it up and makes it respond to whatever there is in it of creative power.

Therefore, every woman becomes her own designer. She no longer goes to a shop and takes the gown that she is assured "everyone is buying." Once she regarded that phrase as the decree of power; today she listens to it with a shrug of her shoulders and usually insists that that's the last gown she wants to buy.

Heretofore the woman with slender opportunities and rare contact with the outside world chose her clothes blindfolded, led by the hand of the saleswoman to whatever was cut by the hundreds and sold by the thousand.

Today she is quite worldly wise. She has seen too much; she has come in contact with the moving world. She may buy a gown that is cut out by the hundreds, but she gives a small price for it, knowing that she can remedy the poor sewing at home, put on some better lace or tulle and add to the insufficient quantity of hooks and eyes—at a cost of less than five dollars, let us say.

She is not so easily hoodwinked as she was, because the public was as much to blame for the constant repetition of one model, sold at varying prices, according to the overhead charges, as the dressmakers and shops.

French Women and Clothes.

Soon these women will be trained into the same kind of power that has governed France for 300 years. The French dressmakers do not govern the styles in Paris; it is done by the women who wear the clothes. They are artists; they are skilled in the science of clothes, and it is their insistence upon changes and peculiarities, their experimentation in new things, which guides the designing world into a sure groove of success.

Mark my words, we are going to get that class over here through the war. A whole new scheme of things in apparel has broken loose among women. When they begin to get more and more exacting about variety, when they learn how to cater to their own types, and when they suggest to designers who have heretofore been inaccessible and haughty, then we will create our own fashions, and not until then.

There will always be a large segment of women who will take the designer's word on fashions, their suitability and their popularity, but this grows smaller each month, under pressure of a certain set of circumstances that are overturning the usual schedule of life.

You can see for yourself how the stimulation will extend to all the quarters of trade. If women say to a high-priced dressmaker that they don't want such and such a gown, because it is repeated on all sides and is unsuited to their type, then the dressmaker must design something that is suitable and has character, or she will lose her trade.

France cannot fear competition. She approves of intelligent co-operation and until we give her that we will always be in the hands of what she calls the third party; we will be dressed through the judgment of buyers, who have brought from France models that they thought would be popular in America.

No One Fashion Dominates.

Do not expect any of us who write of fashions, therefore, to be consistent. We are telling the news from day to day as we know it. It is quite useless to prophesy. It is silly to say that any one fashion dominates. If we tell you that gowns are buttoned up the back, and then say that we have gone back to primitive drapery in which no fastenings are used, we are not stumbling awkwardly. We are merely reflecting the fact that one woman wears one thing, while another wears something else. This should help you in your own scheme of seasonable costumery.

To get down to the bare bone of news, Lewis, the milliner of Paris, has exploited for the summer resorts hats with the largest brims that have ever been worn. If women were in danger of having a papal decree issued against them for wearing obstructive fashions, as they did when they defied the church and wore the hennin, they would surely merit it this summer in these hats.

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VILLA'S STEPSON JOINS UNITED STATES CAVALRY

Manchester, N. H.—William Ceraco, aged nineteen, who says he is a stepson of Villa, the notorious Mexican bandit, has enlisted in the United States cavalry here.

Ceraco says that three years ago, during the border uprising, Villa shot his father and married his mother. Ceraco came north with the New Hampshire troops when they returned from duty on the border.

He says that he likes the United States so well that he has decided it is worth fighting for anywhere and was very anxious to know when he could get "over there."

HEART RIGHT SIDE, REJECTED

Patriot Who Tried Twice to Enlist Has Cardiac Organ in Right Breast.

Philadelphia.—Another freak of nature was uncovered recently, when Dr. John H. Bailey, medical director of local board No. 22, refused to accept George W. Nicholson for the army because his heart was on the wrong side, even though it was on his right. Nicholson is thirty years old and pleaded desperately to go. Some months ago he tried to enlist, but was turned down because he was under weight, his examiners at that time being unaware of his cardiac peculiarities. When he was called for examination before the draft board Doctor Bailey made the discovery of the true location of his heart.

Many Feeble-Minded.

A complete census of the feeble-minded in the United States has never been taken, but it is estimated that there is one feeble-minded person to every 250 of the population, or approximately 400,000 in all, according to the secretary of one of the New York mental hygiene organizations. About 12,000 men have been rejected from the new national army on account of nervous and mental disorders; and one-third of these were rejected on account of feeble-mindedness.

Natural Handicap.

All of us get to talk all we want to, but few are able to say all they want to.—Exchange.

Delaware & Hudson R. R

"The D&H"

TIME TABLE

Commencing Sunday Jan. 27, 1918.

Trains will arrive and leave Oneonta as follows:

NORTH BOUND.

		Arrive	Depart
303	Albany Local		6:30 a m
205	Morning Express ..	9:40 a m	9:50 a m
209	Post Express	3:45 p m	3:55 p m
211	Oneonta Local	8:05 p m	
213	Sundays only	4:15 p m	4:20 p m

SOUTH BOUND.

		Arrive	Depart
200	Oneonta Local		8:20 a m
202	Morning Express ..	10:25 a m	10:37 a m
204	Albany Local	5:15 p m	
206	Chicago Express ..	6:25 p m	6:50 p m
214	Sundays only	5:45 p m	6:00 p m

Trains 204 and 214 only run Sundays.

Trains leave for Cooperstown and intermediate points week days and Sundays at 10:50 a. m. and 6:15 p. m. Trains from Cooperstown and intermediate points arrive Oneonta week days and Sundays at 10:05 a. m. and 4:15 p. m.

Southern New York Railway

Schedule Effective May 15, 1918.

Trains will leave Oneonta for Herkimer and intermediate points daily as follows: 6:40 a. m., 8:20 a. m. and 11:10 a. m., 1:40 p. m., 2:10 p. m., 4:10 p. m. and 6:40 p. m. An additional train leaves Oneonta for Hartwick at 9:30 p. m. The 6:40 a. m. train is daily except Sunday. Trains will arrive at Oneonta from Hartwick 6:30 a. m. and 8:20 a. m. From Herkimer at 10:05 a. m., 11:20 a. m., 1:41 p. m., 3:30 p. m., 5:50 and 9:10 p. m.

In addition to regular through trains local cars leave Chestnut street station for West Oneonta at 6:20, 7:[illegible] and 10:00 a. m. and at 1:40, 4:40, 5:10, 6:10, 9:10, 9:40 and 10:40 p. m.

City Service.

Leave Broad street at 6:17 a. m. and East End (Week Days) at 6:20 a. m. and every half hour thereafter until 9:00 a. m.; then 9:21, 9:50, 10:20, 11:00, 11:30 a. m., 12:00 a. m., 12:35, 12:55, 1:05, and 1:20 p. m. and every half-hour thereafter until 11:00 p. m. The 11:00 p. m. car runs only to Broad street.

Leave Junction (week days) at 6:40, a. m. and every half-hour thereafter until 8:40 a. m.; then 9:01, 9:31, 10:00, 10:40, 11:10, 11:40, 11:55 a. m., 12:25, 12:40, 1:05, 1:31, 2:10 and every half hour thereafter until 11:05 p. m. The last car running to Broad street only.

Normal Service.

Leave Broad street, 6:22 a. m. and D. & H. Station at 6:30 a. m. and every half-hour thereafter until 9:30 a. m., then 9:47, 10:20, 10:50, 11:20, 11:58 a. m., 12:34, and 1:20 p. m. and every half hour until 9:20 p. m.

Leave Normal at 6:33 and 7:04 a. m. and every half-hour thereafter until 9:04 a. m., then 9:33, 10:02, 10:34, 11:04, 11:34 a. m. and 12:12, 12:49, 1:34 and every half-hour thereafter until 9:34 p. m.

Sundays.

First car leaves East End at 7:30 a. m. Normal school at 7:34 a. m. Broad street for West Oneonta at 7:12.

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The time of Ulster & Delaware regular trains at Union station is as follows:

Northbound—Daily Except Sunday

No. 8 leave D. & H., 7:15 a. m.; No. 32 leave D. & H., 10:10 a. m.; No. 18 leave D. & H., 3:10 p. m.

Daily.

No. 36 leave D. & H., 12:55 p. m.

Sunday Only.

No. 38 leave D. & H., 4:30 p. m

Southbound—Daily Except Sunday.

No. 9 due to arrive D. & H., 11:30 a. m.; No. 7 due to arrive D. & H., 7:15 p. m.; No. 35 due to arrive D. & H., 8:02 p. m.

Daily.

No. 33 due to arrive D. & H., 6:10 p. m.

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as a legislator and a patriot. Edward Schoeneck must stand upon his record.

"Schoeneck does not bear witness in support of the request made by the United States Government. Worse than that he intervenes with his influence to nullify the anti-sedition act. He does this after a United States grand jury had voted to present an indictment against a man who, according to many witnesses, talked against the United States and for Germany. Schoeneck was not content to let the law take its course and the guilt or innocence of the accused be determined in open court. He got the grand jury to reconsider, and the jury quashed its own indictment. But the irregularity of the proceeding and the evidence in the case was to strong that a special grand jury found another indictment and it was a stronger indictmemt than the first one.—The Utica Observer Editorial Aug. 19, '18.

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Why Julius E. Rogers Should be Nominated for Congress

What Church Women of Binghamton Think of Mr. Rogers

To the Enrolled Republican Women,
34th Congressional District:

On Tuesday next we will, for the first time, be called upon to exercise our full privileges as electors at a primary election.

Whether the elective franchise was wisely given to the women of this state will be determined by the use we make of it.

Our duty is to throw the weight of our newly acquired power into the balance on the side of those candidates for office who best represent the highest ideals of our American life. If we fail to do that, whether deliberately or through being misled, we will fall short of doing our duty as voters.

The candidate whom we support at the primary should, first of all, be loyal both in word and deed. He should have a clean record in public and private life. He should be a man of high ideals, unselfish purpose and unquestioned integrity. He should have the courage of his convictions and be brave enough to do the right thing even though, for the time being, it may not be the popular thing. He should stand for the home and the sacredness of the family life. No matter how genial a man may be or how generous with his surplus wealth for deserving objects, the ultimate test of his real worth as an American citizen in his life and character—the kind of man he is.

The undersigned are members of the First Congregational Church of Binghamton, of which Mr. Julius E. Rogers, candidate for the Congressional nomination on the Republican ticket, is a devoted member. We know him thoroughly. For more than thirty years he has been a deacon in that church, and a leader in its activities. For several years he was superintendent of the Bible school. He is now the leader and teacher of the largest class in that school, one composed entirely of women. Although he lives on a farm four miles distanct from the city, he is rarely absent from his place in church and Bible school.

Mr. Rogers is a man of great ability and force of character. He is in the prime of his intellectual vigor. His family life is ideal. He is an earnest man of strong convictions, and devoted to his family, his church, the schools and the public interests. He possesses a brain and a conscience. He represents the highest type of an American, Christian gentleman. He is a temperance man, both by profession and in practice.

We urge the Christian women of this district to honor themselves by giving Mr. Rogers their earnest and loyal support.

We believe that one hundred per cent of the women of the First Congregational Church would join in this appeal if opportunity were offered.

Binghamton, N. Y., August 30, 1918.

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Mrs. Minnie M. Cady
Mrs. Mable Lyon
Mrs. Emma L. Smith
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Mrs. Leon S. Davis
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Anna Isabel Noyes
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President Roosevelt Removed William H. Hill

President Roosevelt removed William H. Hill as Postmaster at Lestershire, among other things:

2. For padding receipts.
3. For defrauding the Government of the United States of $3,305.49.

Should a man who padded receipts and defrauded the Government, and who was removed as postmaster by President Roosevelt, be selected as the Republican candidate for Congress in this District?

Mr. Hill says: "Will you believe unsupported slander?"

It is criminal libel to charge Mr. Hill with padding receipts as postmaster of Lestershire, and of defrauding the Government of $3,305.49. Have any libel suits been brought? Would the average business man or woman select or retain an employe charged by the Government of the United States with padding receipts or defrauding it of a considerable sum of money?

Should a man who fails to deny that he padded receipts and defrauded the Government, represent the 34th District in Congress, in this crisis of the nation's history?

W. W. Dickson, post office inspector, from whom Hill seeks to get a certificate of character, was himself removed October 9, 1913, for making copies of fraud reports; for violating section 549; for destruction of stenographers' notes; for failure to account for reports in fraud cases: for having borrowed money from subordinates and failing to return it.

This letter from W. W. Dickson was written nearly four months after Mr. Dickson had been removed from office, and seven years after Mr. Hill's removal. Does anyone believe that if Mr. Dickson were sincere, he would have withheld this letter for seven years, and as long as he was post office inspector, for, if given to Mr. Hill at the time he was accused by the Post Office Department, it would have been of material benefit to him.

The man who succeeds Honorable George W. Fairchild in Congress should be not only one hundred per cent American, but he should be one hundred per cent honest, should he not?

What Rev. Willard Brown Thorp, Mr. Roger's Former Pastor, Says of Him

Willard Brown Thorp
Minister of the First Congregational Church
1640 Third St., San Diego, California

To the Editor of the Republican-Herald:

A friend has sent me a copy of The Republican-Herald announcing the candidacy of my old friend Julius E. Rogers for Congress, and I cannot refrain from congratulating the people of Broome County upon the prospect of having such a man as their representative at Washington.

It is almost twenty years since I was pastor of the First Congregational Church of Binghamton; and after all these years I can say without hesitation that Julius Rogers stands out in memory as one of the grandest characters it has ever been my privilege to know.

He is a man of large mind and great heart. He is a farmer and much more than a farmer. If Binghamton sends him to Washington, she will honor herself as well as him, and will be contributing to the nation a man eminently worthy to be among her counsellors in these great days of our history.

Willard Brown Thorp.

May 28, 1918.

What Mrs. Frank D. Lyon Says

WHAT MRS. FRANK D. LYON, former president of the Civic Club of Binghamton, prominent in public, social and club life, and one of Binghamton's leading women, says in support of Mr. Rogers:

It seems to be the doctrine with some of our perennial politicians that, because they voted for suffrage, we women should blindly follow their guidance in selecting our party leaders—just as a token of our humble appreciation, so to speak.

Of course, politics is a new game to the majority of us, and we shall require a little time to adjust ourselves to the new conditions—whether we will or no.

We want to do the right thing. So we must take time from our household affairs to study the situation, even if our husbands and children go hungry and buttonless in the process.

The suffrage leaders have harped upon the power of women to "purify politics." How are we to "purify" until we verify?

Now Mr. Hill tells us that since he voted for woman suffrage, it is our duty to vote for him. In other words, "Women! I have placed you under obligations—please reciprocate."

Now the very fact of his bargaining makes us wonder if he had that in mind when he helped to bestow this boon (?) of suffrage upon us.

We women are going to cast our vote from "Missouri." They must "show us."

We must have faith in our candidate. We question the motive of the man who bargains, and the man who blows hot and cold with the same breath.

We must begin to purify.

We believe in temperance, so we must vote for a man who not only talks temperance, but lives it.

We believe in morality, so we must vote for a moral man. A man whose life is an open book. No. "Dr. Jekyl and Mr. Hyde" for us!

We believe in intelligence, so we must vote for a man who does not have to boast of his ability, but whose works speak for themselves.

In short, we believe in sincerity, and honest dealing, and we are selecting a man as our candidate for congressman whom we can respect because he is respectable. Who is no bargain maker, but who stands for principles which all true women and all true men are bound to respect. And that man is Julius E. Rogers of Broome.

Mr. Rogers is not an office seeker—another mark in his favor. He has no axe to grind. He has a reputation for honesty which has never been questioned, and he has never been caught preaching one doctrine, and working over time practicing another. He suits the clean minded and intelligent women voters of this district, and we shall begin to "purify" by casting our ballot for him.

Mrs. Frank D. Lyon.

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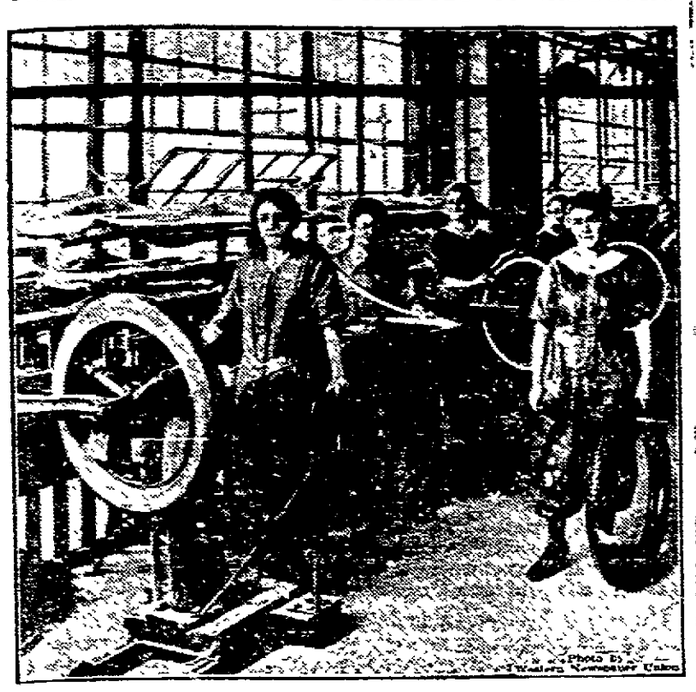

These women at the Detroit factory of a big tire concern are replacing men who have been called to the service. The women of America are indeed doing their bit in domestic, industrial and even actual war work.

MIRACLE OF BATTLEFIELD BURNS ALL SELF-THOUGHT OUT OF YANKS

Hard-Boiled Boys, Dropped Into the Furnace of War, Come Out With the Dross Burned Away, Self-Sacrificing Heroes—Hold Back in Suffering for One in Greater Suffering to Be Cared for First.

By CLARENCE BUDINGTON KELLAND.

They were coming back out of the hot blast of the great battle—those boys of a certain division now famous throughout France and one day to be famous throughout the world. They were not coming back because they wanted to, nor because they had had enough of it; they were being brought on stretchers, wounded, gassed, shell-shocked, to an advanced dressing station. Some of them seemed just boys. One could see them grit their teeth to hold back the moan of pain.

"Hard luck, pal?" said a doctor interrogatively, as the bearers set down a stretcher in the courtyard.

The boy shrugged his shoulders, actually shrugged them as well as he could, bundled up on that stretcher, and grinned wanly.

"Comin' fine, if I can get you fellers to save that foot. She's smashed plenty. If you can't—all the same."

"We'll run you right in."

"Nix, bo, not me. I'm gettin' past all right, nothin' but my foot. You jest lemme be here and git busy with them guys that's hurt. I'm on the waitin' list."

That was one boy. He belonged to an outfit that bears a name far and wide for being boiled hard. Tough birds, you hear them called, rough talking boys with the crust outermost. If you had seen them a month before or two months before when they had not had their purifying in blood and fire, you would not have prophesied that they would hold back in suffering to wait for one in greater suffering to be cared for first. It was an attribute that was not apparent to the casual eye. Hard-boiled, you would have agreed, and you might have felt a trifle sorry for the enemy that had to encounter them. But you would not have stood by with tears in your eyes—not in your eyes, but rolling down your cheeks—and have muttered again and again: "Here are men!"

Dross Burned Away.

But now they have felt the scorching breath of war. Suddenly they had been dropped into the furnace and had come out with dross burned away. Something had happened. They were still hard-boiled. Their language was made up of the same words, but the words had taken on a new meaning, their very faces had taken on a new aspect. In spite of blood and grime, and the discoloration and burn of gas, you could see that something was present there which had been absent before—until you could not see at all for the flooding of your eyes.

"I—got mine . . . No use—sport . . . Can't do—nothin' for—me . . . Git—busy with some of them boys—you kin—help."

That was the spirit. That was the thing that had been burned into their souls by the hot breath of war. They had forgotten themselves. Jim was not thinking of Jim but of Mike. Mike was not thinking of Mike, but of Jack. Each passed it on.

The dressing station was small and many must lie outside until the men who were taken in first could be evacuated. You heard groans, but amid the groans you heard cheery, gritty words. "Oow, that d—— leg . . . How's Charlie makin' it? Anybody know? I seen him git it . . . Oow . . . !

"They just took Charlie in. He wasn't sayin' much."

"Say, them stretcher bearers ought to git the Croy de Gerr, them birds ought to. See 'em fetch me back with them shells bustin' like it was rainin'? And would they hurry? Not a d—— bit. I hollered to them to git a move on or they'd git busted on the dome, but that little shrimp says for me to mind my own business, he was carryin' that stretcher . . . Afraid if he hustled he'd shake me up and hurt me some. Can you beat that? . . . Oow!"

"Out of Luck Nothing."

"You're next, son," said a lieutenant doctor. "Where'd you get it?"

"Leg and a chunk somewhere in the chest."

"Out of luck."

"Out of luck nothin'. Didn't I bayonet three of them Germans before they got me? Eh? . . . Luck?"

The story goes that this division was called upon to stop the rush of five times its number. The story goes farther, and says they not only stopped the rush but caused a movement in the other direction. It was not an affair of hours but of days, days of constant, bitter, hand-to-hand fighting, with horrors added by the Hun that no American soldier has ever been called upon to face. But they had dammed the flood; had even swept it back for a little, and they were proud.

But their achievement on the field was not the great thing that came into view in those days. It was the spirit that flamed up in their hearts—not merely a spirit of courage, of daring, of heroism against odds, but a spirit of altruism, of love for the other fellow. Somewhere in that holocaust those hard-boiled boys had gotten it, and the manifestations of it that night in the little courtyard before the dressing station made the spot one never to be forgotten by those who witnessed it.

A hurry call was sent to the distant Y. M. C. A.

"Can't you do something for these boys who are being brought in here?" the officer in charge demanded.

"What can we do?"

"Something to eat and smoke. Coffee. A bite and a smoke do a wounded man more good than anything else. Do you know, some of those boys have been out there in 'that' for two days with nothing to eat but hardtack?"

So the Y sent its men and its trucks; it made coffee, it brought such fruit as it could; it carried chocolate bars.

"Here you are, sport," said one of them, coming into the courtyard. "Here's a cup of chocolate."

The boy raised himself painfully on his elbow and reached for the cup—then he motioned it away.

"I hain't hurt much—and there's a lot of guys here that's messed bad. You hain't got enough to go around. Git busy."

"I've got smokes and hot chocolate for every man. Go ahead."

"Honest? I won't be robbin' none of them birds?"

"Honest."

The boy drank—and was transformed.

"That's livin'," he said softly.

One boy was brought in with a broken leg. It had been an accident and not a wound won in battle. He had got in the way of a motor-truck.

"Jest fix me up out here what you can," he said.

"You go to the hospital, son."

"Nix. Hospital's for those fellows that's hurt. I just got a busted pin. You fix me here and leave me here . . . When you git a chance."

Language Needs New Word.

Somewhere, some time, they had all got this thing. It had come to them out of the flame and crash of battle; it had been carried to them on clouds of searing, noxious gas; it had awakened in them through suffering and through the sight of suffering. They were the same, yet they were not the same. They were not gentle, yet one fancied he could detect a gentleness in their voices. But out of the battle and the suffering, something better than they had ever known came to them. There was utter ignoring of self, and it was a thing wonderful to witness.

"We've got to have a new word in the language," said a captain-surgeon. "Game won't do. These boys are something more than game. I've never seen anything like it. I don't know what it is." Even he, inured to suffering and to scenes of bloodshed, wiped his eyes. "They're—they're—why, damn it all, they're 'something'! Nobody was ever like them!"

One boy lay inside on a mattress on the floor. His chest was rising and falling as he struggled for breath.

"He's on his way," said the doctor to a Y man who was acting as orderly, nurse, assistant, anything.

The Y man went over and touched the boy's forehead.

"How about it, old man?" he said. "Kind of—lonesome . . . Maybe you . . . could sit . . . here till . . ."

The Y man sat down and a hand struggled toward him. He took it and held it in his own, and he whispered to the boy a moment. Maybe it was a prayer. Whatever the words, it was a prayer. The wounded man lay still, his hand in the hand of the friend who had come to him in his last dark moment—his last glorious moment.

Another Kind of Courage.

The courage of the battlefield seems to be a common commodity; but the courage to bear pain without flinching; to realize the approach of death without crying out; to reach a moment when you know you must face life maimed, without arm, leg, eye—and not to curse with black rage or cry out with despair—that is another kind of courage. But it was there. Not one man had it, but it seemed as if all those wounded had it—it was not the gameness of the bulldog. It was something that had to do with the soul. It was greatness, it was fineness, it was a thing that compelled the watcher to uncover his head and stand bared in its presence.

They were Americans. Perhaps it was their birthright. More likely it was a new thing; newly born of the day and the business of the day. Whatever it was, whenever and however it came, it was present. This has been written with repression, with a striving for understatement, with a wish to tell the truth. The thing was there. They brought it back with them.

"How are you making it, sport? . . . Here's a cup of coffee."

"You come around to me after you've given some to the boys over there. They need it."

That is what was there. It has read something new into the meaning of the words American soldier. As the doctor said, some new word must be coined to designate it. It was born of battle and agony.

URGES STICKING TO BUSINESS

Physician Asserts That Too Early Retirement of Successful Business Men Is a Mistaken Policy.

To old men who are thinking of retiring from active business Dr. William J. Robinson, editor of the Medical Critic and Guide, gives the celebrated advice once tendered by Punch "to young people about to marry," namely, "Don't!" The counsel often given to those of advancing years, even by physicians, to take things "easier," to give up this and give up that—in short, to lead a dull, empty, vegetable existence, is unqualifiedly bad, Doctor Robinson thinks, although, of course, there are exceptions and special cases. He writes:

"An old man with a very high blood pressure—i. e., high for his age—should not engage in business which is likely to cause him great excitement and throw him in fits of anger; and a man who is showing symptoms of senile dementia should not be intrusted with important affairs; but, generally speaking, there is no reason why a man should give up his work or narrow the circle of his interests, merely because he has celebrated the seventieth or eightieth anniversary of his birthday. The general condition of the man, his fitness, should be the criterion, and not his age in years. We all know that some people at sixty are actually older than some are at seventy or eighty.

"The advice to old men to retire has sometimes, if followed, very disastrous consequences. A man of seventy or eighty is attending to his profession or business in a satisfactory manner, and he feels well. Suddenly he decides or is advised to retire and take things 'easy' for the rest of his days. He does—and in a few weeks or months that man is a physical or mental wreck and ruin. As long as he kept up his mental interests he was all right. A sudden change, a sudden vacuum, I might say, perhaps the pernicious subconscious feeling that now it is all over for him—all that contributed to the disaster. And it is not the physical change so much as the mental that is the important factor. I, for one, am sure that mental activity, mental interest, has a life-prolonging influence, because mental activity stimulates many, if not all, of our vital processes. It is not mental work that ever kills; it is worry that does it, and even its baneful influence has been greatly exaggerated. We know of octogenarians whose lives have been one round of trouble."

"Stocking Room" for Banks.

Has your bank a stocking room? The Security bank of Oakland, Cal., couldn't sell Liberty bonds without theirs. Here is how it works:

Mrs. Oaklander enters. "I want to buy a Liberty bond, please."

"All right; sign here," says the pleasant bank clerk.

After this the good woman hesitates, blushes. She makes wavering passes and then looks around with a hunting and hunted look.

The pleasant bank clerk knows the symptoms and politely inquires: "Would you like to use the stocking room?"

Mrs. Oaklander retires to the little side room and makes a run on "the first national bank."

Air Plants.

In some parts of Mexico "air plants" abound. These curious growths are never attached to the soil in any way, but rely for their moisture on the atmosphere. One kind, known as "Spaniard's beard" (Tillandsia usneoides), attaches itself to telephone wires. Very often the growth becomes a positive nuisance, and it is necessary to send men to clear it away. The "Spaniard's beard" has no proper leaves, and in appearance is simply a mass of green-gray threads.—Wide World.

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HOW TO CAN

PEACHES

Before preparing fruit make sirup (three pounds nine ounces sugar to one gallon of water or five pounds, eight ounces sugar to one gallon of water), allowing about one cupful of water for each quart jar. Put in one cracked peach pit for every quart of sirup. Boil sirup for five minutes. Strained honey or other sirups can be used in place of a part of the sirup usually required.

Sort the fruits, using firm, sound, uniform peaches for canning and putting aside the soft broken ones for jam. Peeling may be done by immersing in boiling water about one minute or until skins slip easily. Remove, plunge for a minute into cold water, and slip off the skins. Cut into halves and pack at once in previously boiled jars, placing the halves in overlapping layers, the concave surface of each half being downward and the blossom end facing the glass. Fill each jar with hot sirup and paddle carefully to remove air bubbles. Partially seal jars. Boil (process) quart jars in a water bath for 20 minutes and half gallons 35 minutes. When thoroughly cold test jars for leaks. Store in a cool, dark, dry place.

Firm, perfect peaches may be floated in boiling water for about 20 seconds after being peeled. They are then cut in halves, seeds removed, and packed as indicated above. Peaches floated in this manner are made more flexible and pack to better advantage. They also become mellow, absorb more sirup and are finer in flavor.—United States Department of Agriculture.

ELOPE, THEN DIE TOGETHER

Chief of Police and Neighbor's Wife Carry Out Suicide Pact.

Rochester, N. Y.—Elmer Fish, chief of police of Macedon, and Mrs. Elmer Phelps, who were found shot to death in the woods near Spencerport on Thursday, left their homes on July 8.

Fish, his wife and their two small children lived opposite to Mr. and Mrs. Phelps in Macedon. Fish represented the Standard Oil and Phelps is a barge canal operator. Mrs. Phelps was a frequent visitor to the Fish home, although Mrs. Fish protested against her visits.

Mrs. Phelps was driving Fish's automobile on July 7 and crashed into another machine. Fish took the car to Palmyra and wanted to have it repaired immediately. As this could not be done, he and Mrs. Fish returned to Macedon. He and Mrs. Phelps left there on the trolley at four o'clock and nothing was heard from them until the finding of their bodies.

Mrs. Fish and her children have gone to the home of her father in Clifton Springs.

SALESWOMAN "SHIPS" NORTH AS STEWARDESS

Boston.—Resourceful Mrs. Marie Cowan of Chicago is back in the United States and happy. She "makes" the big towns of South America for a Western corset manufacturing company. Passenger ships are few and far between on the South American run now. She waited around a Chilean port for 30 days and then, because her firm was yelling by wire, she shipped north as a "stewardess."

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War Period Program

This program will meet the common needs of the people. I propose it as the way out of the troubles our people are having with food, fuel and transportation, and as protection to women in industry. Upon these four subjects I would concentrate the attention and the whole power of the State.

Women in Industry: The pressure of War has forced women into new fields of labor with great rapidity. Their employment is extending and changing daily. They are subjected to new dangers and risks to health. I am of the opinion that legislation alone cannot take care of these problems, but that the care of women in industry and the preservation of home and motherhood will require the most anxious and solicitous oversight from day to day by the State through women's aid. To that end I should use every effort to put and keep that supervision on the highest plane of sympathy and active support for women in industry throughout the State.

Food and Markets: The lands of the State can yield a huge increase of food, but the farmer must have labor, capital, fertilizers and machinery to secure the increase. I estimate that over 2,000,000 acres of unproductive land can be brought into tillage. The State can aid in all these things. Production is better than conservation. Production is multiplication; conservation is adddition. The true aid to production is to get the farmers a larger share of what the consumer pays. That means real markets, more direct deliveries and fewer middlemen.

The war laborer and the housewife feel the rising cost of food. The consumer pays a dollar for what the farmers sells for forty cents. Ten cents more for the farmer and ten cents less for the consumer would help each of them. Good markets will save more than enough in cost of handling to meet the increased cost of production. The cost of handling should be reduced.

Transportation: Upon transport of food, fuel and materials, rest our whole war effort. The railroads have reached their limit, but the State can relieve great congestion by developing the use of the Barge Canal, the Hudson River and its Harbor. The public believes tha the Canal is completed. That is not the case. At several points boats must use the old Erie Canal. As a chain is no stronger than its weakest link, so a Canal is no deeper than its shallowest spot. Until the shallow spots are deepened the canal is not ready. Until the canal is ready the barges cannot be used, nor will they be built by private capital in war time.

The canal should be completed at once. Barges should be built and operated by a combination of public capital and private enterprise.

Fuel and Power: The Barge Canal taps the anthracite region within 75 miles of Cayuga Lake, and when completed can supply fuel for industrial New York from that point. The building of the canal has created an estimated 100,000 water horse-power. This should be developed electrically at once for the relief of our manufacturers and the fuel supply. The State should act at once to develop the general water power in its boundaries. Mr. McAdoo suggests that the water power of the country should be used to drive our railways. New York State has 1,500,000 undeveloped water horse-power. The use of all our resources of water-power, fish, food and game, under the general head of conservation, should be pushed vigorously.

I approve the Saratoga platform, especially its position on the **Referendum on Prohibition** and the **Federal Suffrage Amendment.**

Governor Whitman has toured the State fiddling political strings when all his brains were needed for war. **His re-election would mean two years more of insignificance.**

To carry out a real war program there remains the choice between Mr. Smith and myself. Mr. Smith has spent his life in the politics of New York City and in the Legislature at Albany. He has no business but office. I do not think he will claim he is familiar with the problems of farming or transportation. His nomination does not assure a business conduct of our war program. *New York State must carry on war as a business and should have a business man for Governor.*

Respectfully yours,

Wm. Church Osborn

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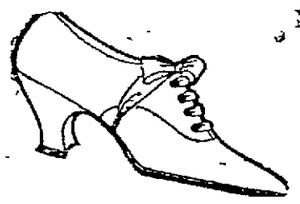

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POLITICAL ADVERTISING.

WHY HE SUPPORTS HILL

EDITOR CHRIST CALLS ATTENTION TO HIS STANDING AT HOME.

Senator Hill's Success with Good Measures at Albany and His Legislative Experience Qualifies Him for Representative in Congress.

William H. Hill has represented the 29th District in the State Senate for four years. Those years have been full of results. The promptings of a greater purpose and the desire of his constituents to use his talent in a wider field have led to his being a candidate for Congress to succeed George W. Fairchild who declined renomination after twelve years of steady service.

Senator Hill was born at Plains, Pa., on March 23, 1877, and was the son of a Methodist minister, Dr. William J. Hill. In addition to his public work the Senator has carried forward several business activities which have added to his value and experience as a citizen. He is editor of the Endicott Record at Johnson City, president of the highly successful Prospect Land Terrace Co., a director in the Workers' Trust Co., and president of the Lestershire Heights Realty Co. His first experience in public life came when the people of Lestershire village, now Johnson City, elected him president at the surprising age of 21. Evidently this earnest and serious-minded young man began early to win the confidence and the faith of the people who knew him, and he held the office for three terms, so the first belief was not just a youthful flash.

When Mr. Hill was elected state Senator in 1914, Johnson City, with a young population of about 1,200, cast all but 87 votes for him. His plurality in Broome county at that time was 5,385 which was the largest Broome county had then given to any man. When the Senator came up for re-election at the end of two years his home town of Union gave him a little over 3,000 votes out of a total of 3,300 cast. The county of Broome gave him this time 9,000 majority which was nearly 6,000 ahead of Hughes and 5,000 ahead of Whitman. A mighty tribute that for a man to get where he is best known and where he has been tried:

It looks now as though the women would be the next to add their sign of appreciation. The figures at the County Clerk's office in Broome show that about 2,700 women have enrolled in Johnson City, Endicott and Union and that over 2,000 of them are enrolled as Republicans. In one district in Senator Hill's home village there are 281 women enrolled and every one of them as a Republican. Many of these are free to say that on Primary Day they are going to show their townsman how they feel toward him.

The candidate opposed to Senator Hill in his party is Julian C. Rogers also of Broome county. Mr. Rogers is a fine and worthy old man 71 years of age, widely liked for his character, and is receiving the support of many excellent people. We feel, however, that he is not qualified by experience or training for this position, especially as his business enterprises have not established such a record of success as we should instinctively desire in a man to represent us in Washington during the exceedingly important reconstructive period which is to follow the World War. It would be too much like choosing as author to act as an expert accountant on difficult business tangles.

In his work at Albany, Senator Hill carried through four measures of wide value to the people of the State. He gave vigorous support to many good causes, but four laws stand to his lasting credit. These were:

1—The Widowed Mothers' Pension law.
2—Local option for cities.
3—Enclosed cabs on railway locomotives
4—Exemption of farmers from the Donnelly Anti-Trust law.

The first of these goes straight to the heart of every lover of the home circle. The law is proving a success and not burdensome as some expected. The second had been feared and dodged and failed on by a lot of politicians. They said it couldn't be done but Hill did it against odds so large they were sure he could not succeed. It compelled him to face many unpleasant things. When the fight was won the Senator made a quiet statement to a friend which has won our unbounded admiration. He said: "When I went to Albany I made up my mind to do the right thing as I saw it. A man has to pick his course. He can go with the crowd, have an easy time and accomplish nothing really worth while. Or he can fight for the things that he sees are right, and take the consequences. If you wish to pick out some man who would put his back to yours and see you through some great struggle, or fight with you as Warwick of old fought—this would be the kind of man you were looking for, would it not? The third law was solid horse sense. Your life and mine often rest in the hands of the man in the locomotive cab and not to protect him against extreme weather conditions is to risk our neck as well as his. The fourth law is rendering a very great service to the farmers and will, we believe, be more and more appreciated by them as time goes on.

The man in public life who stands steadily for good causes and tries with courage to do things that seriously need doing, and that bring personal antagonisms with the doing, is almost sure to find evil reports spread abroad concerning him. Senator Hill is no exception. It seems a pity that a man of so clean and wholesome a life should have to meet these things—rumors so far from the truth that the wonder is how they could ever become current. It would be hard to find a better answer to such rumors than the simple, sincere and dignified reply given by the Senator when he said, "I have lived all of my mature life in the town of Union. If anyone in the world knows me, my neighbors who have seen me every day, and watched my comings and goings, know me. I am willing to stand by the verdict of my home folks. If I was a crook then the people who voted for me must be wrong. You can't indict a whole township. It isn't reasonable to assume that the people of the town of Union would have voted for a man they knew was immoral and loose in his personal habits."

The people of this Congressional district are looking for something. It is that rarest of all qualities in public servants, the ability to do things. Senator Hill possesses that quality to a remarkable degree. It is the outstanding feature of his life. He has the poise, the skill, the magnetism, the good judgment and the perseverance to get things done. When these qualities are found in combination with a simple, trustworthy and likeable man we have a valuable asset which should be promptly called, by the community, for service.

In thinking of this man our favorite picture of him is the things we have seen as he walks the streets of his home town. There is something fine and unusual in the way the men and women greet him. Their good will, respect, friendliness and even affection are clearly in evidence and come equally from every conceivable strata of life in the town. As you observe and study into this subject more closely you gain a deep seated conviction that here is a man of such high purpose and of such a large and generous heart that he has won the unreserved regard of a whole community that has known him for more than twenty years.—[Editorial in Cooperstown Farmer.

PRINCESS IS NURSE

This picture of Her Royal Highness, Princess Mary, only daughter of their majesties, King George and Queen Mary, shows her in the garb of a Red Cross nurse.

Her Royal Highness has commenced her duties as a Red Cross nurse and is serving as a probationer at the Hospital for Sick Children, London.

Great Home Army.

More than 2,400,000 boys and girls were reached through club work last year, according to a compilation recently made by the United States department of agriculture, which supervises this work in co-operation with state agricultural colleges. Of this number approximately 350,000 made complete reports, which show that they produced and conserved products amounting to $10,000,000. In the 33 Northern and Western states 840,606 boys and girls were enrolled. Of this number 160,625 made complete reports and produced and conserved products valued at $3,700,000. In the South there were 115,745 boys enrolled in the regular work, who produced products valued at $4,500,000, and 73,396 girls, who produced and conserved products valued at $1,500,000. In the emergency club work in the South the club leaders reached over 400,000 boys and approximately 1,000,000 girls, who produced and conserved products valued at more than $4,000,000.

Veteran Proud of Standing.

Edward P. Weaver, formerly of Bangor, Me., claimed the distinction the other day of being the oldest officer yet graduated from the free government navigation school conducted by the United States shipping board recruiting service. He is sixty-nine years of age. Mr. Weaver, who had many years' experience as a seaman, decided while at New Orleans some weeks ago to enter one of the schools and train for a deck officer for the merchant marine. He passed the rigid physical test without difficulty and completed the course.

Canadian Emphasis.

By the bye, don't be shocked by our damning and swearing. It doesn't mean the same in Canada as it does over here. It's natural to us. In Canada everyone swears. My little boy—he was six years of age at the time—was swearing one day in the kitchen and the cook told him if he was not careful his teeth would drop out. He looks up at her—only six years of age, mind you—and says, "Daddy's teeth haven't dropped out." What do you think of that?—Gen. Alec McDougall, Canadian Forestry Corps, in London Chronicle Interview.

Hard to Judge Character.

I have often observed that a thorough scoundrel is often one of the most agreeable of men, and that the most companionable people are frequently the most destitute of dignity of character.—George Sand.

SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES.

Announcements of Services and Sermon Topics in the City Churches.

First Methodist Episcopal church, corner of Church and Chestnut streets. B. M. Johns, minister. Morning worship at 10:30. Sabbath school at 11:45 a. m. Evening worship at 7:30. Rev. N. B. Ripley of Milford will preach both morning and evening.

Free Baptist church, corner Main and Maple streets. Charles S. Pendleton, D. D., pastor. Morning worship with sermon at 10:30. Subject: "In the Days of These Kings." Special music by Tuskegee singers. Free-will offering. Sunday school at 11:40 a. m. No evening preaching service.

Chapin Memorial Universalist church. Rev. William Gaskin, pastor. Morning worship at 10:30 a. m. Sermon topic, sermon appropriate to Labor day. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Young People's Christian Union service will be resumed at 7:30 p. m. Subject: "A Month with Nature and Her God." Leader, unannounced. A cordial welcome is extended to all to attend these services.

St. James church, Episcopal, corner of Main and Elm streets. The Rev. G. C. Dickinson, rector. All seats are free, and the public is cordially invited to attend the services. Morning service, 10:30.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church, Main and Grand streets. Rev. Charles McCarfrey, pastor. Low mass Sunday at 8 a. m. high mass at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 2:15 p. m. Vespers at 7:15 p. m. Week-day mass daily at 7:30 p. m. On holy days low mass at 5 p. m. High mass at 8 a. m. Vespers at 7:30 p. m.

First Baptist church, Chestnut and Academy streets. Rev. E. J. Farley, minister. The pastor has returned from his vacation and will be in the pulpit at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. To all services the public is cordially invited.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 61 Chestnut street. Service at 10:30 a. m. Subject: "Christ Jesus." Sunday school following morning service.

Methodist Episcopal church, Oneonta Plains. Sunday, September 1st. Preaching service at 2 p. m. Rev. Leonard Lumb of Smyrna will occupy the pulpit in exchange with the pastor.

English Lutheran church of the Atonement, Grove street, above Main. Rev. J. C. Trauger, pastor. Morning worship and sermon at 10:30. Sermon subject: "A Grateful Minister." Bible school and lesson at 11:45 a. m. No evening service this Sunday. Hereafter evening services will be resumed.

United Presbyterian church, Dietz street. No services Sunday.

West End Baptist church, River and Miller streets. Pastor, N. S. Burd. Morning worship at 10:30. Sermon theme: "What Can I Do for My Own Church?" The Lord's supper will be observed. Bible school at 11:45. Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Evening service at 7:30. Sermon: "Kindly Affectioned."

The Elm Park Methodist Episcopal church, Lower Chestnut street. Rev. J. C. Johnson pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. Epworth league at 6:45 p. m. Evening preaching service at 7:30.

Salvation Army, 31 Broad street. Meeting tonight, 8 o'clock. Sunday school, 2:30 p. m. Y. P. L. 6:15 p. m. Public Salvation meeting at 8:15 p. m. All are welcome. Ensign Clifford in charge.

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DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

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mother, Mrs. Mary Adair, of East Meredith, has sustained a broken hip, resulting from a fall. On account of her frail health and advanced age, the case is a critical one.

Pastor Takes Vacation.

Rev. and Mrs. R. R. Irwin are enjoying a brief vacation spent at Salem, where he preached last Sunday, and at various other places. Mrs. Susan Adair is staying with the children during their absence.

Motored From Michigan.

Mrs. William Fagan, her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Addis, and their son, Raymond, of Holly, Michigan, were visitors last week at the home of their cousin, J. A. Rowland. They made the trip by automobile with stops at Niagara Falls and other points of interest.

NORTH FRANKLIN FACTS.

North Franklin, August 30.—At a well attended meeting of the Oulevout grange Monday night it was decided to hold an ice cream social Friday evening, September 6, in the basement of the Aldrich church. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Anderson jr., and Mrs. Irene Elderkin are the delegates to attend the Delaware County Pomona meeting to be held in Downsville in September.—Mrs. Grace Adsit of New Haven, Conn., and Iva Munson of Oneonta visited their sister, Mrs. C. A. Gay, over the week-end.—B. W. Sanford, accompanied by his granddaughter, Mabel Sanford, go today to visit friends in Connecticut for two weeks. — Maria Miller is home from Ilion.—Mr. and Mrs. Sol Signor and family were Sunday guests at O. G. Sanford's.

MERIDALE MENTION.

Meridale, August 30. — Sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered in the Presbyterian church Sunday morning.—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jones and son of New Jersey are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. F. J. Strickland. — Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swartout and daughter, Pearl, of Schenectady, spent a few days this week at the home of the former's father, Joseph Swartout, who is in very feeble health.—Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Nordin and children of Chicago, Ill., visited at the home of Ralph Pierce the first of the week.—D. H. Mackey has sold his place in this village to Bersil Vankleeck. Possession given December 1.—Mrs. R. R. Mackey of Oneonta is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Harvey Bull.

TOLD IN HOBART.

Hobart, August 30.—Mr. and Mrs. William Butler and son, Ira, of Brooklyn, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Homer Butler.—The feed stores of E. T. VanBuren, both here and at South Kortright, also the Farmers' Feed and Grain store, will close.—Mrs. M. G. Prince and two children are visiting in Nichols.—Rex Sethman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Sethman, has arrived safely "over seas."—Miss Buchan of New York is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stevenson.—Mr. and Mrs. W. Barlow are guests of friends in Sidney.—Dr. and Mrs. G. L. Hubble have gone on a motor trip to the Thousand Islands.—W. F. Clark has gone to Buffalo with a car load of stock.

DAVENPORT CENTER.

Davenport Center, August 30.—The Ladies' Aid society will meet Friday evening of this week at the home of Mrs. Ferris Banner and will be entertained by Mrs. Banner and Mrs. Alton Potter.—Miss Etta Sloan is visiting friends in Oneonta.—Mrs. H. S. Olmstead is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. H. O. Bouton, of Cooperstown. — Mrs. M. C. Hebbard returned Sunday from a visit with Mrs. E. L. Young at Delhi.

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August 30, 1918

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Mud Throwing in Politics.

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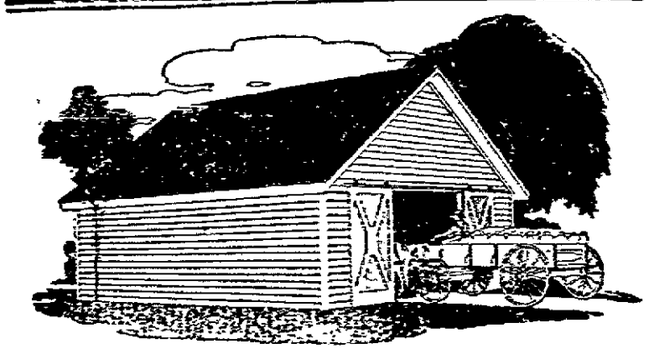

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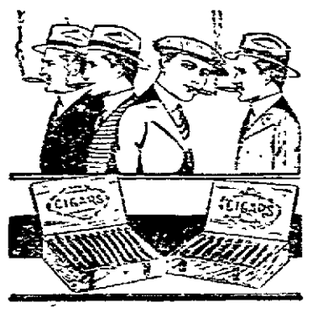

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